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CROWD AT ROME GATHERS TO URGE WAR WITH AUSTRIA

Pope Is Depressed Over the Prospect That the Peace Party Will Fail to Keep Italy Neutral

RUMOR OF WAR COMES TODAY

The Washington Diplomats Have No Confirmation but Expect It May Come at Any Time

ROME, May 12.—With pro-war demonstrations renewed not only in Rome, but in many other parts of the country, the pressure on the government to intervene against Austria has become most acute. The cabinet met at 10 o'clock. A large crowd which gathered outside the palace cheered the king, Premier Salandra and foreign Minister Sonnino and repeatedly hissed and jeered former Premier Giolitti who is blamed for the failure of the government to act Tuesday night.

There is reason to believe that the efforts of the peace party to force maintenance of neutrality are doomed to failure. Most significant is the attitude of Pope Benedict, who is admittedly most depressed.

Final decision rests with the king and this fact may postpone action for a short time. He has several conferences scheduled with high officials and also with Prince von Buelow.

Rumor War is Declared

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Though the state department and Italian, Austrian and German embassies were without news today that Italy had declared war, as reported, diplomatic and military experts here generally expressed the confidential opinion that such a development was almost inevitable.

The Italian maintenance of a neutral attitude they argued, especially in consideration of a cessation of territory by Austria to Italy, would increase the Teutonic allies' chances of success in the war and if Germany and Austria won, their natural next step, it was predicted, would be to seek recovery of what they had lost.

For this reason their view was that Italy's safety lay in a Teutonic defeat and they said frankly they would not be surprised to hear of a declaration any time.

DENY RUMOR OF CABINET CHANGE

LONDON, May 12.—Reports that Lloyd-George and certain others were to retire from the cabinet and that a coalition cabinet was contemplated were denied by the premier today.

D. M. PARRY DIES

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 12.—David M. Parry, aged 64, died here today. His health had been failing for some time. Parry was president of the National Manufacturers' association during the period under investigation in the Mulhall congressional probe.

Weather

Temperatures yesterday:
High, 84.
Low, 60.
Precipitation:

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity; Fair tonight and Thursday. Somewhat cooler tonight.

For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Thursday. Cooler east portion tonight and Thursday. Slightly cooler tonight.

For Minnesota: Fair tonight and Thursday. Cooler east portion tonight. Probably frost north portion.

For Iowa: Fair tonight and Thursday. Cooler northeast portion tonight.

Weather Conditions

Showers and local thunderstorms have occurred during the past 24 hours in the most districts, except the southwest and it is raining this morning in the middle and south Atlantic states, Ohio valley and at a few northwestern stations. Elsewhere it is generally clear.

The temperature continues high in the northern and central states and moderate in the southern states.

The pressure is highest this morning off the middle Atlantic coast and lowest in the southwest. Moderate depressions are also located in the Lake Superior district and north of Montana.

Fair weather is indicated for this section tonight and Thursday with somewhat lower temperature tonight.

Stage of River

	Flood Stage.	Height.	Change.
St. Paul	14	6.1	—0.1
Red Wing	14	5.5	—0.1
Reeds Landing	12	5.9	—0.1
La Crosse	12	6.6	—0.1
Pr. du Chien	18	7.0	0.0
Dubuque	18	7.0	0.0

River Forecast

St. Paul to La Crosse: The river will fall slightly during the next 36 hours.

U. S. GOVERNMDNT TO MUZZLE DERNBURG BY POSTAL REGULATIONS

WASHINGTON, May 12.—That the government intends to muzzle Dr. Dernburg, unofficial German representative in the United States, was learned on high authority this afternoon.

The affair has been taken out of the realm of the diplomacy, however. Indeed, it was stated, that no diplomatic course in the Dernburg case exists. It was pointed out that his activities differ from those involved in the celebrated Genet affair early in the 19th century inasmuch as Genet was an official credited French diplomatic representative whose recall it was possible to ask, while Dr. Dernburg has no official status.

Administration officials have decided, however, that it will not be difficult to prevent publication, at least, of the doctor's remarks.

Action, it became known, was contemplated under section 211 of the federal criminal code, relating to postal offenses. This section was designed to prevent the mailing of obscene matter. It was amended May 4, 1911, so as to make the word "indecent" include "matter of a character tending to incite arson, murder or assassination."

Government officials who have investigated the matter believe they can make this clause fit Dr. Dernburg's utterances in connection with his pro-German campaign. Whether or not they are right it was admitted, remains to be proved. That they were confident they could do so was certain, however.

NO IDENTIFICATION FOR BODIES FOUND

Number Brought in Today Unrecognizable; Most of Corpses Carried Far Out to Sea

FIND DRIFTING BOATLOAD OF DEAD

One of Lusitania's Life boats Picked Up with Four Women and Two Children Dead

QUEENSTOWN, May 12—Few additional bodies of the victims of the Lusitania can be identified even if they are recovered. The number brought here today all were terribly decomposed and showed ghastly evidences of the inroads of seabirds and fishes. All were in such condition from the action of the water as to be unrecognizable. The Cunard officials stirred by the criticism of relatives and friends of the missing, are now trying to have the admiralty release some of the tugs now in harbor that they may be used in searching for bodies. Ships coming in today report seeing pieces of floating wreckage far out at sea which convinces seamen that the majority of the bodies that are afloat have gone beyond the land and never will be recovered.

CORK, May 12.—One of the Lusitania's life boats, containing the bodies of four women and two children who had perished of exposure was picked up off Fastnet yesterday, according to a telegram received here today. The boat was floating in good condition.

MORSE LIBEL SUIT AGAINST WOODMEN IN CIRCUIT COURT

Former Minister Asks Damages of $50,000 Because of Alleged Defamatory Pamphlet Circulated

With a basket full of depositions, and stacks of testimony on both sides, the civil suit of Alfred Leslie Morse, Necedah, Wis., former minister, against Benjamin F. Keeler, state deputy of the Modern Woodmen of America, will probably open in circuit court tomorrow.

Morse is being represented by Attorneys Mahoney and Schubert. Attorneys W. F. and A. C. Wolfe will defend Keeler against the attack which Morse will direct against him.

The suit of Joseph Raith, Goose Island farmer seeking to recover $10,000 damages from the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power company for injuries received when a street car struck his rig, will precede the Morse-Keeler trial. No cases were heard in circuit court today.

Asks $50,000 For Pamphlet

Morse asks circuit court for $50,000 for a pamphlet which he maintains was distributed by Keeler and the Modern Woodmen of America. A similar action, brought at this term against the insurance company was continued, Judge E. C. Higbee ruling that not more than one of the cases would be tried at one term of court.

The pamphlet which Keeler is alleged to have distributed was entitled "Who's Who and Why, or the Pedigree of Alfred Leslie Morse, M. S."

Morse, it is claimed by the defense made stump speeches and otherwise tried to defame the insurance company. The pamphlet has to do with the life of the former Necedah pastor.

BATHS TO OPEN JUNE FIFTEENTH

The La Crosse public baths will be opened to the public June 15 this season.

Extensive repairs to the structure ordered by the city council at the last meeting have been started today, and when the institution is thrown open to the public it will be ready for handling larger crowds than ever. Changes will include a new porch, new approach to the wagon bridge, new steps to the beach and other improvements. The sum of $300 has been set aside for the work.

DAILY FREIGHTS NOW PROMISED ON S. M. DIVISION

Lanesboro Hearing Results in Indirect Promise from Railroad for Improved Train Service

That the Milwaukee Railroad company will at some time in the near future inaugurate a daily freight service on the Southern Minnesota branch of their road from La Crosse, or will at least better the conditions of freight service on their branch, was the premise which indirectly reached Frank W. Sisson and Wallace R. Montague, representing the La Crosse board of trade at the Minnesota state railway and warehouse commission hearing of the case at Lanesboro, Minn., yesterday.

Judge Mills, hearing the case for the commission, said that the body could not rule on matters affecting points outside the state of Minnesota, but he listened to the complaints of Sisson and Montague, that freight service conditions were bad to Minnesota points nearby on the Southern Minnesota branch.

Everyone to be Benefited

The hearing concerned the freight situation to towns on the branch line, and followed a petition made jointly by Lanesboro, Rushford, Winona and other Minnesota cities, all represented at the hearing.

"La Crosse shippers have a marked advantage over small Minnesota shippers," said Mr. Sisson, "and to be fair to them, it was right that La Crosse shippers aid in the fight for better and more frequent freight service. With a daily service, La Crosse and also Minnesota shippers will be benefnted."

"DOG TOWN" HAS 1500 INHABITANTS SAYS POLICE CHIEF

Of These Only 199 Have License to Live According to Census Figures at the Police Station

After members of the La Crosse police force have completed the dog census on which they are now at work, they are going out after the dog owners and ask some pertinent questions as to why dog taxes have not been paid.

This is the statement of Chief of Police John B. Webber, who was at work on the dog lists today. Chief Webber declares La Crosse is a pretty good "dog town." He says that the census so far has shown there are about 1,500 dogs in town, although the figures of licenses paid at the police station today show only 199 of these have a license to live. Patrolmen are taking the census.

Under the law, dog taxes must be paid before May 15, thus leaving the other 1,200 dogs but three days of grace before their lease of life expires. The owners are liable to arrest and fines if licenses are unpaid after that date. According to the police this will cost the owners at least $3.50 for the first offense.

Licenses can be secured at the police station, the fee being $1.00 for male dogs and $2.00 for female dogs. All money collected for dog licenses goes into the police pension fund.

GERMANS IN BRITAIN IN PERIL OF MOBS

Serious Anti-German Riots in London Leave Police Powerless for Time Being

SHOPS ARE SMASHED AND LOOTED

One German Chased Until He Is Forced to Draw Gun and Stand Off the Rioters

LONDON, May 12.—Serious anti-German rioting was renewed in East London today. Crowds of men and women paraded the streets breaking windows of several butcher shops conducted by men with German names and throwing the furniture and supplies into the streets. The crowd also threatened Germans with physical violence. The police were temporarily powerless.

Several German butchers were mobbed in Smithfield market and thrown into the street. One was chased to the Farrindon street station and finally drew a revolver with which he withstood the crowd that was threatening him with death until a train came along which he boarded and escaped.

The rioting and anti-German demonstrations seem to be spreading throughout the islands. At Liverpool Germans are unable to appear on the streets and many have voluntarily sought internment in the prison camps to protect themselves from violence.

So serious has the "alien enemy" problem become that a special cabinet meeting was called today to discuss it. There is a growing feeling that the time has arrived when all persons of German, Austrian or Turkish birth, whether naturalized or not, should be interned until the end of the war. It is believed that the cabinet will be authorize such action if for no other reason than as a peace measure.

So serious did the government consider the situation that Premier Asquith, in the house of commons, following the cabinet meeting announced the government was considering interning all aliens born in the enemy's country whether naturalized or not. He promised a statement on the subject later.

In the east end the German and Austrian residents formed a defense battalion and defied the police and the crowds. A free-for-all battle followed that extended for many blocks. Stakes, chairs and stones were used and there were dozens of broken heads.

Sixty-four stores in this vicinity were demolished and their contents thrown into the gutters. Pianos were carried into the street from the demolished stores and songs were played on them to add to the frenzy of the crowds. Clergymen in vain tried to pacify the crowds and policemen tried in vain to disperse them by assuring them that they were attacking Russian stores and not those owned by enemies.

Up to five o'clock this afternoon more than one hundred shops in London owned by persons of Austro-German extraction had been demolished and looted.

The scenes of the rioting in London today were in the Bow, Bromeley, Stepney, Mile End, Limehouse, North Kensington, Walthamstow, Popular, Acton, Camdentown and Bethnal Green districts. At a meeting of Covent Garden brokers today it was unanimously decided to have no further dealings with any one of German birth.

THREE TURKISH SHIPS ARE SUNK

Russ Black Sea Fleet Destroys Trio Near Soungul Says Petrograd Report

PETROGRAD, May 12.—The Russian Black sea fleet has sunk three large Turkish ships near Soungul, according to advices received here today from Sebastopol.

Soungul is on the Turkish Black sea coast, about 150 miles east of the Bosphorus.

EMBARGO ON GRAIN

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 12.—The Philadelphia and Reading railroad today served notice on the commercial exchange that after May 12 an embargo would be placed on all grain exportations to Europe.

HOUSEHUNTING

is out of style nowadays. People used to go out on long, weary tramps looking for houses, and wearing out shoeleather and spoiling dispositions. But nowadays the househunter turns to the want pages of The TRIBUNE. Is your ad there tonight?

ASSEMBLY AGAIN ATTEMPTS TO KILL NORMAL 'GYM' BILL

Administration Leaders Solidly Against La Crosse School Get Reconsideration of Appropriation

KURTENACKER'S FIGHT IN VAIN

Now La Crosse May Lose Addition to State School When Final Vote Comes on Friday

MADISON, Wis., May 12.—(Special.)—After many delays and three successive defeats the assembly today disclosed a part of its program of retrenchment when it sent to engrossment the Bradley bill to repeal the appropriation of $45,000 for a physical education building at the La Crosse normal school.

This measure has had a varied career. When it first appeared upon the floor of the house it was favorably advanced.

It was then sent to the committee on finance which reported it for indefinite postponement. One week ago today the assembly killed the bill.

A motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill was killed was then entered. That motion was considered by the assembly this morning. It resulted in fifty-two members, two more than a majority of all the members of the assembly, voting in favor of reconsideration. This means that the assembly favors the taking away from La Crosse of the physical education building. As predicted on the vote last week the administration leaders went solidly behind the bill to secure the repeal.

A strenuous effort by Assemblymen Gruenewald of Oshkosh and Kurtenacker of La Crosse, to stem the tide failed. The bill will come up for final passage in the assembly on Friday.

FACTORY INSPECTOR HERE THREE DAYS CAN SAY NOTHING

Miss Tracy Copp, Deputy of Industrial Commission, Says She Never Grants Interviews

Miss Tracy Copp, deputy factory inspector of the Wisconsin Industrial commission, and the only woman member of the commission at present, has finished a three day inspection of La Crosse factories—and particularly the working conditions of factory girls—and is about to leave the city without having attracted the attention of any but a few persons.

Miss Copp is conferring today with Mrs. Cora Stathem, superintendent of the state free employment bureau here.

The factory inspector was inclined today to clothe her mission to La Crosse in secrecy, saying that she never granted an interview, but adding that the visit here was only one link in a chain of cities which she is calling on in an annual inspection tour.

In her three days' stay here, Miss Copp has quietly gone from factory to factory, and has closely observed the conditions in which girls and women work. "I am only a deputy," said Miss Copp, "and the commission examines my report at the close of the inspection trip."

MRS. GUERTIN DIES AT LA CROSSE HOME WAS OLD RESIDENT

Aged Woman Who Was One of Early Settlers in This City Succumbs Today at Old Home

Mrs. Samuel Guertin, for fifty-five years a resident of La Crosse, died at 9:45 this morning at her home, 921 South Seventh street, at the age of 72 years. A complication of diseases was the cause of death. Mr. and Mrs. Guertin celebrated their golden wedding anniversary October 9 of last year.

She is survived by her husband and eight children, the Misses Norah G. and Grace and John W. of La Crosse; Mrs. T. D. Casey, Dickinson, N. D.; George S., Chicago; Edward F., New York; Mrs. J. P. Luxem, Pittsburg; Mrs. Leo Alderson, Chicago.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's church, Rev. Father Condon officiating. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

WON'T DISCUSS REPRISALS

LONDON, May 12.—In the house of commons today, in answer to questions, Premier Asquith declined to name a day in which the use of gas and other reprisals against the Germans might be discussed.

WILSON DECIDES COURSE AND VIGOROUS NOTE IS TO GO TO THE GERMANS

Note Will Deny German Right to Sink Merchantmen Without Warning Passengers is Believed in Washington

NOT TO BE WARLIKE IN ATTITUDE

If Germany Refuses to Make Amends and Give Assurances of Protection for Neutrals it is Suggested Diplomatic Rupture Will Come.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—President Wilson had fully made up his mind today on his action in the Lusitania acse.

A note, vigorous in tone, firm in purpose, but devoid of threats of bluster, will be sent late today or early Thursday to Berlin, it was announced, calling Germany to a "strict accounting" for the destruction of American lives and property in the Europeon war zone.

Will Leave Way for Amends

All that Americans feel in the way of resentment will be expressed, it was understood but not in such a way as to shut the door against any sincere German desire to make amends and give solemn assurances that such incidents as that of the Lusitania and others which have occurred in the past will not be repeated in the future.

On the requirement that such assurances there must be, it was stated on good authority, however, the note will be clean cut and emphatic. Germany, according to reliable reports will be called on to admit that war methods involving the slaughter of neutrals, of Americans, of women and children, are wrong. "The course of the president has been determined," announced Secretary Tumulty, following a long conference with the chief executive. "It will be announced just as soon as it is proper to publish the note now in preparation."

The secretary was unable to say whether President Wilson would make his communication public before its receipt by the Berlin foreign office.

Despite presidential advisors' disinclination to talk, it was believed the note would refuse, at the outset, to consider previous German representations in justification of its submarine war methods—representations that these methods were rendered necessary, firstly by the British attempt to "starve out" the Fatherland, and secondly, by America's unwillingness to place an embargo on arms and ammunition shipments to the allies.

On the other hand, it was asserted, the president would insist the United States is unconcerned in Germany's grievances against Great Britain; on the other that it has been made plain America cannot stop shipments of war supplies without violating neutrality, a proposition, it will be pointed out, to which Germany practically agreed early in the war.

Will Require Warning

A refusal also will be embodied to the Germany contention that submarine warfare does not permit a submerged craft to give warning, before an attack to vessels carrying Americans. Such warning it will be contended is specially provided for by international law and if it is impossible, it will be insisted that such warfare is wrong and must be stopped.

Information from many sources left no doubt that the American note will contain no threat of war.

How the administration would act in case of refusal—the initiation of hostilities having been decided against in advance—was a matter of surmise.

May Sever Relations

The commonest guess was that the withdrawal of the American diplomatic representative in Berlin would be the next step. Some of the executive's advisors have argued that this would be virtually equivalent to a war declaration. The president himself is said to have pointed to precedents to the contrary.

That there will be such action, however, was guess work.

International experts who have studied the German statement relative to "mistaken" German submarine attacks on neutral ships, inclined today to see in it a disposition to avoid an attitude of irreconcilability. For the first time, it was remarked, the Berlin government indicated recognition of the fact that neutrals have suffered through her submarine warfare.

Washington Forecasts Note

Washington believed today that at least it had a fairly accurate idea of President Wilson's plans relative to the European war situation.

He would call on Germany, it was deemed certain, for a more accurate definition of its policy toward American shipping, cargoes and lives in the zone of hostilities; he would point out that in all three respects

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ELDER DARNELL'S TESTIMONY HURTS

Called as Witness for Son It Is Believed That He Strengthened Case of State

TOLD PAIR TO GO AND MARRY

Tells How He Demanded Son Produce Proof of Marriage to Ethel Spurgeon

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 12.—Milton H. Darnell of Elmwood, Ill., took the stand today in defense of his son, Rev. James Morrison Darnell, on trial for white slavery but his testimony is believed to have only added to the damaging facts already presented by the government.

The elder Darnell said that his son and Ethel Spurgeon, the young minister's Avon, Ill., "wife," had visited at the Darnell home in Elmwood, in December, 1911. They told him, he said, that they had been married in Chicago, but could not remember the date. He asked them to show him the certificate but they were unable to do this.

"I told them that I did not want them in my house unless they had a marriage certificate," said the old man. "They then said they had not been married in Chicago, but in Quincy, Ill. I told them to go and get married and not to be running around the country that way unless they had a certificate of marriage."

Rev. George H. Ashworth of Sycamore, Ill., secretary of the Fellowship and Discipline committee of the Universalist church, was recalled to the stand by U. S. District Attorney Goff. He testified that at Darnell's hearing before the committee the minister had told them that Miss Spurgeon was dead. When they refused to believe this, the witness said Darnell told them that he had gone to Minneapolis to get a divorce from Miss Spurgeon on the grounds of incompatibility. On cross examination Ashworth admitted that Darnell had made no statement whether the divorce had been obtained.

The first witness for the defense was Mrs. Alice Baldwin Spurgeon, mother of Ethel Spurgeon. She said that she had visited her daughter and Darnell when they were said to have been living in Owatonna.

BRITISH CHARGE ATROCITIES

NEW YORK, May 12.—Murder, lust and pillage on a scale unparalleled in any war between civilized nations during the last three centuries, are alleged against Germany in connection with her operations in Belgium in the report of the British government commission, headed by former Ambassador James Bryce which was put on sale by the MacMillan company today.

Citizens to Leave Germany?

WASHINGTON, May 12.—President Wilson is delaying transmission of his note to the Berlin foreign office to give Ambassador Gerard time to advise Americans to quit Germany according to a report circulated here this afternoon. It was said Secretary Bryan had cabled the ambassador to suggest that they go to Switzerland, as the easiest neutral country for them to reach. The story could not be verified.

50% ADVANCE ON THIS OIL STOCK MONDAY MAY 24

TO INVESTORS:

There are only a few propositions that offer the moderate investor a real chance, and to give all good citizens an equal opportunity to secure a part of this valuable stock before it is advanced nearly double, the date of the advance will be Monday, May 24th. Through reliable newspapers this notice will reach about Ten Million people. If even Two Thousand remit promptly the Company will at once push its refineries at increased capacities and drive ahead the drills on at least ten different properties, any one of which may develop into a rich old field and soon force this stock to a very high price.

You should not wait too long, but act now when you can make yourself a useful member in a giant organization to accomplish real results in a worthy cause. Another big advance within thirty to sixty days after May 24th can be expected. A real crisis in the oil fields causes this stock to be offered to the American people at a real investment bargain, and the future will prove that it is now or never if you ever secure a part of this stock under an advance of three to five times.

The Uncle Sam Oil Company is the ONLY BONAFIDE, independent, producing, refining and marketing Company in the Middle West. It has been organized and built up as a practical protest against the Oil and Gas Monopoly that raised the black flag against the Kansas Oil Fields in the memorable Oil War in Kansas about ten years ago. It built the first two refineries in Oklahoma and Kansas. It built the first independent pipe line west of the Appalachian mountains. It was the first competitor of the Oil Monopoly to build distributing stations and establish marketing agents, AND MAINTAIN THEM, over the States of Oklahoma, Missouri and Kansas. The powerful influence of the Oil and Gas Monopoly tried to kill this Company a few years ago, but its wolves were beaten. Like every cause of Right, The Uncle Sam Oil Company has met with vicious persecutions until it has won victory after victory, and the chances now are about a thousand to one that its great Osage Oil and Gas Lease of about Four Hundred and Thirty-six Thousand acres will yet be protected.

The Uncle Sam Oil Company now has three refineries located in the proper trade distributing centers where, with the best marketing facilities it can reach the people of the Middle West. It now has 122 Oil and Gas Wells in operation. It has at least ten different properties in the big oil districts, where it is determined to start additional test wells.

The authorized capitalization of The Uncle Sam Oil Company is three hundred million shares. About two hundred and fifty million shares of this stock is owned by over 14,000 red-blooded Americans who believe that an Independent oil company has a right to produce and market oil products to the American people in competition with the Oil and Gas Monopoly regardless of the dictates of a foreign thieving combine. There is in the Treasury of the Company about one-sixth of the capital stock. At the last meeting of the Board of Directors the President of the Company was authorized to offer this stock for sale to the independent public. Over 500 new stockholders have joined the Company in the last ninety days. Several thousand investors are now figuring on purchasing a part of this stock.

The pipe lines of the Uncle Sam Oil Company have been exempted from common carrier liability by the Supreme Court of the United States in a recent decision. All along our exempted pipe lines are scores of oil producing properties that can now be purchased for about 25 cents on the dollar of their actual value to us.

In an effort to steal control of the rich Osage oil and gas fields, the greatest oil and gas field under one ownership in the world, the Oil and Gas Monopoly has brought about a crisis in the Oklahoma-Kansas oil fields. It has done this to try and secure a Monopoly on the bidding for this great area of oil and gas lands. The Uncle Sam Oil Company, backed by its independent army of investors and its already big properties and splendid business, is winning out in spite of everything and everybody. People, especially in Kansas and neighboring states, where the Red, White and Blue tank wagons and automobile trucks can be seen daily delivering to the people good oil at reasonable prices, in competition with the rich Oil Monopoly, are among the citizens who are buying up the stock still left in the Treasury for sale.

The Uncle Sam Oil Company during the past five months has completed eighty miles of additional pipe line connecting nearly all of its big properties with two of its refineries in two States and has added one substantial block of leases on Ranch Creek in Pawnee County Oklahoma, and has just drilled a very important test well thereon. It now has a completed pipe line through the oil fields for 151 MILES.

The Company has three big leases in Pawnee County, a part of which are right in line with the great Boston Oil Pool in Osage County on the north and the big Cushing gushers in Creek County on the south. A part of one of our great leases is only seven miles from a 4,500-barrel well drilled in a few days ago in the north end of the Cushing field.

It is the determination of the organizers and stockholders of The Uncle Sam Oil Company to get control of at least one million acres of oil and gas leases in the rich Oklahoma oil fields, and it is demanding that this great Osage lease, that has been proven in the Federal Court was honorably secured, shall be validated either by the Secretary of the Interior or by Congress, with a provision written in the lease that shall authorize the Utility or Corporation Commissions to fix the price for which the oil and gas from this big Government Indian Lease shall be sold to the people.

The Oil Trust Crowd seeks through their corrupt and secret methods to donate large sums to Presidential Campaigns and then control Cabinet officers and other high-up officials and then secure this great Osage Lease (the richest Plum in the entire Oil World), delivered to the Oil and Gas Monopoly without this provision to protect the general public written in the lease. Then the Oil and Gas Monopoly can make back many, many millions off the people of the Missouri Valley. But the fight of the Uncle Sam Oil Company has educated the voters in the 150,000 domestic gas consuming houses in Oklahoma, Missouri and Kansas, and the people are watching the secret, silent Oil Trust monster that still seeks to control the Government and then steal from the Indian tribes and also rob the public by extortionate prices.

There is a new day dawning and The Uncle Sam Oil Company is winning, and the Oil Trust gang is on the run from its Ludlow murderers in Colorado to its Interior Department thieves in the Osage and its big banker-schemers in Washington.

The stock of The Uncle Sam Oil Company would be sure to advance fifty times in a few years by securing JUSTICE in its Osage Leage fight. The Company is driving ahead all along the line. You have read the advertisements of this Company in this paper during the past ninety days and this is to notify you that this is your last chance to secure the stock at the old price. Every remittance not started to the Company on the old price on or before MONDAY, May 24th, will be returned. At that time the stock still left in the Treasury will be ADVANCED IN PRICE FIFTY PER CENT. Other advances are sure to follow. The company is gaining and it is bound to go ahead and succeed on big dignified basis.

If you want to get into a proposition that has every indication of accomplishing splendid success, and in a few years increase in value from twenty to fifty times, or possibly a hundred times, attach your check or draft payable to The Uncle Sam Oil Company under the special offer that follows, OR WRITE QUICK FORTHWITH FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, for if you do not get your remittance started by MONDAY, May 24th, this stock will cost you FIFTY PER CENT more if you are able to get it at all. Time will be money to you in this transaction and let the company hear from you forthwith. We value our combined properties, including exempted pipe line and established trade and trade name at Four Million Dollars. There is a provision in the Charter that protects the company from Oil Trust control. Any month a new well may open a great oil pool that by drilling other wells can soon pour out millions and make the large stockholders rich. On one of our big leases is Pawnee county we have one of the deepest producing wells in that district. It is 2,812 feet deep. In a shut down a few days last fall this well filled up and flowed out over the top. The next location around this deep well (over one-half mile deep) may be a five to ten thousand barrell well. There are very few opportunities left where the moderate investor can invest a few hundred or a few thousand dollars and secure a real bargain investment opportunity. This stock should now sell for FIVE CENTS per share. It is OFFERED at a bargain investment offer to raise new capital quick so our company can take advantage of the many opportunities in the oil fields along our completed pipe line. We can increase our capacities several times without increasing our general expenses over ten per cent.

The winning of the Osage Lease or the striking of a 2,000 to 5,000 barrel well on some of our many properties should drive this stock up 20 to 25 times this offer to you in a few hours. Your remittance may be small, but combined with a thousand more, will enable The Uncle Sam Oil Company to push ahead on a big basis. We refined through two of our refineries over one thousand barrels per day for every working day during the month ending April 10. We should reach forty to forty-five thousand barrels per month in a few weeks, and with sufficient capital can in a few months refine and market 3,000 barrels daily at each refinery or a total of nine thousand barrels per day. With the great Osage Lease saved the company will build a new big direct pipe line from the heart of the Osage Nation to Kansas City, and in a few years be on the map as one of the great concerns of the Middle West. This company is gaining. Its friends are legion. Come and join a real live army and grow rich with us. Do not delay until the stock is advanced to even three or four times the special offer to you. Secure the stock now. When the advance starts on May 24 it may never stop until it reaches 20 to 25 times this special offer herein. This company is on the map and doing business and will be growing in value while you sleep. Wake up and heed the hour of opportunity so that your remittance is started at once or by MONDAY, MAY 24TH. For REFERENCES YOU CAN WRITE TO EITHER OF THE BIG MERCANTILE AGENCIES or we will be glad to send you further particulars, but do not wait too long. Remember MONDAY, MAY 24TH, will soon arrive and after that date the price of stock will be fifty per cent higher and other advances may occur every ten or fifteen days as progress justifies until the price reaches at least five times this offer still in your reach at the old price. When you buy this stock you will own your proportionate interest in all the present combined properties and in all the company secures and develops in the future. The company is controlled by a Board of 21 Directors, all of whom are large stockholders, several owning from two hundred thousand to two million shares each. The stock sold a few years ago as high as twenty cents per share and was beaten down in value by the persecution of the Oil and Gas Trust and its henchmen. Now The Uncle Sam Oil Company has beaten off this persecution and is winning one victory after another. In other words, The Uncle Sam Oil Company is COMING BACK. Get in now and win with us and remember this is your last opportunity until the price is nearly doubled. Oil is cash. Therefore The Uncle Sam Oil Company can prosper even when other business is depressed. If you have lost on other investments make it back on this advancing oil stock that is sure to soon boom in value on a solid basis.

The stock is non-assessable, and the cash payment, together with your agreement to remain loyal to the company, is accepted by the company as full payment, if the company approves you as a stockholder. It wants none but loyal, patriotic, liberty-loving citizens as its stockholders, and therefore reserves the right to approve or reject any subscription to its stock. If you should not be approved your money will be promtply returned to you. If you are approved your stock will be issued full paid in consideration of your payment and your agreement to remain loyal to the company, which agreement is contained in the certificate of stock. Special offer is as follows:

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.....10,000 Shares	$100	.....100,000 Shares	$750

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(Street, City and State Address)

Respectfully submitted.

THE UNCLE SAM OIL CO.

By H. H. TUCKER, Jr., Pres.
(Address all letters to the Company)

KANSAS CITY, KANSAS

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

THE CALL OF THE HILLS

BY IZOLA FORRESTER

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"I don't think you'd better see him, Juliet; I don't think it's either necessary or—or judicious." Mrs. Truxhill struggled for the adequate expression as she squeezed her foot into one new satin slupper. "Your early acquaintance with any of the boys back home hardly warrants their coming to see you now."

Juliet fingered the card in her hand doubtfully. She was twenty. In her dinner frock of white satin, made simply, she looked even younger. Her brown hair was bound around her head in soft bands. Her eyes were dark and full of mischief. Somehow just the mere sight of Hal Thurber's name on a card roused mischief in her.

"Just for a few minutes, mumsie while you're dressing," she pleaded. "Don't you see, I went to school with him, and it looks so little and snobbish not to see him now. I'm not anybody special yet, anyway."

"Your life is apart from all that," Mrs. Truxhill said solemnly. "It is what I might call consecrated to art. I'm sure that is what Dr. Justin said when he called last week—consecrated to art. If Runnymede Hills is ever put on the map it will be because you lived there once. And nobody knows what your father and I have sacrificed to bring it about—"

"I'll see him in the little red writing room at the left side of the elevators, dear," Juliet leaned over to kiss her mother, her soft young arms wrapped closely around the old neck. "And I know you've been just splendid to me, you and Daddy. You've sold out the hotel, and you've trotted me down here to study for two years, and we've lived here at this place that we couldn't afford, and worn clothes we couldn't afford, and it's all been lots of fun. Maybe I will be a great singer. I don't know. Sometimes I get awfully sick and tired of it all, mumsie, don't you? I know Dad does."

"He's fearfully unstable," sighed her mother. "Don't put creases in my neck, child. No, I don't regret anything. When I set my hand to the plow, you don't catch me turning back. But that's the Baxters all over. You're Truxhill, just like him. But I'll see you through it. Four years abroad and the victory's won. French opera in Paris, Italian in Milan and German right under Mrs. Wagner's nose. I guess you'll amount to something when you get through."

Juliet went down in the elevator smiling a funny little tremulous smile. She wondered what Frau Cosima would think to find her "right under her nose." The Baxters had no sense of humor and the Truxhills had too much. From the dining room down the long corridor came a sound of soft string music. They were playing one of Brahm's haunting gypsy melodies, and it called her back to the old Vermont mountains just as Hal's card had called.

She stepped from the elevator and into the little red writing room. There were silk curtains at the door. She let them fall behind her softly. At the dinner hour this room was deserted, she knew, and only Hal's figure showed at the end as he stood looking down on Fifth avenue.

She tiptoed up to him and slipped her hands over his eyes.

"Guess," she whispered, "who is it?"

He pulled them down to his lips with a grip that could not be shaken off, and wheeled about. She caught her breath at the fire in the big boy's eyes, the hungry, yearning love of her in his whole face.

"Don't push me away, Juliet," he begged. "Nobody's here. Oh, it's so good to see you—"

And then a very unconventional thing occurred. Right in the little red writing room the future songbird from Runnymede Hills, Vt., was taken forcibly in a pair of strong arms and kissed.

"Scold all you want to," Hal said, doggedly, when he had released her. "It's been eight months since I saw you."

"Did you come way down here specially to see me?"

"I had to see your father, anyway. We had lunch together this noon, and I've had him hanging to a long-distance wire ever since. He's down at the telegraph desk now."

Juliet's eyes were wide and anxious.

"What's the matter up home? Please tell me."

Hal's hands went deep into his pockets. He looked down at her, his eyes brimful of amusement.

"No tragedies, I'll promise that. When do you expect to go abroad? I've coaxed your father to go back home with me. You didn't know the governor and I have been in correspondence for some time."

"About me?" indignantly.

"No, it wasn't about you. It was strictly business. I haven't been asleep since you came down here to learn to warble—not by a long shot. And neither has the old town been asleep. Things are happening up there. The railroad's cutting through the mountain, and we'll have a branch line up to Algonac. I got the tip a month ago, and passed it down to the governor, and he jumped at it. I wish you were as good at taking advice as he is."

"Oh, don't make love to me now when I want too know things."

"Who's making love to you?" he laughed. "I know it isn't time for that yet—not until you've had your fling and sung all you want to. Then, maybe some day you'll drift back to the old town and be glad to see me."

Both hands went out to him eagerly.

"But, Hal, I'm terribly glad now, I've been here long enough to find out that any number of girls have just as good voices as I have, and better too, and seeing you makes me—"

"Say it quick! Here comes the governor," said Hal, crushing her hands in his.

"Homesick."

"Is that all? Would you go back with me? He's going. Honest, dear, do you care—do you?"

Juliet looked up at him just as Mr. Truxhill came into the room. He looked flushed and triumphahnt, and was waving a telegram.

"By George, Hal, boy, we've got them cornered; we've got them dead to rights! We'll hop home tomorrow morning."

"What is it, Dad?" Juliet pleaded. Hal won't tell me anything."

Truxhill's arm went around her shoulders and Hal's, too.

"Just this. I had sold a half interest in the hotel, and old Beggs up there, who owned the other half, has been trying to get me to sell out for cash to him for months. I suspected there was something up his sleeve besides his elbow, but Hal here put me next. Hal's been doing a little amateur real estate work himself here lately and he found out the railroad planned cutting directly through the hotel property, taking in the whole place. Beggs wanted to buy me out, and hold them up for a fat price, but Hal here wrote and let me know. He's got an option on half the other land in town that the railroad wants, and I'm going up to swing the thing with him to win. Lord Harry, but it will seem good to get out of dress suits and back into harness. You and your mother can go on to Europe if you like, but me for home."

Juliet rubbed her cheek on his sleeve contentedly. Her hand was behind him, held by the young man from Runnymede Hill, Vt.

"I'm going, too, Dad," she said.

No Maude, the paw paw is not an appropriate pictureplay plot germ.

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U. S. TO PUT UP BARS AGAINST WAR CRIPPLES OF EUROPE

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 12—Predicting that Europe's maimed soldiers may be rejected at America's gates, Commissioner General of Immigration Anothony Caminetti said here today it might be necessary to reorganize the department to cope with the situation.

"Cripples from the war may be rejected on the ground that they are likely to become public charges," said Caminetti. "In many instances the department's decision may seem heartless, because these men must be returned to the war torn nations abroad. Many such new cases are sure to arise. The department is preparing for all possible contingencies, and probably many additional inspectors will be necessary."

NAME FROHMAN RECEIVER

LONDON, May 12.—The chancery court today named Weston Boileau Woolridge, legal representative of Charles Frohman, receiver and manager of the Frohman productions in Great Britain. He will run the Duke of York theater where Gaby Deslys is appearing, but will close it for one night out of respect to Mr. Frohman.

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"You must remember to stay where it is shallow water."

Daddy's Bedtime Story— The Tadpole That Wouldn't Mind His Mamma.

"I KNOW of a story about a tadpole that wouldn't mind his mamma," said daddy.

"Oh, daddy, have tadpoles got a mamma?" asked Jack.

"Of course!" cried Evelyn. "The tadpole's mamma is a frog."

"That is right, daughter," said daddy. "Well, the tadpole was a funny looking little creature, as tadpoles are. His head didn't have much shape to it, and I am afraid he didn't have much in it, either. And his tail was fat and squashy, and he wasn't pretty at all. But he was prettier than when he was a polliwog, for he had the cutest little feet coming out on him like wings, and he had hopes of becoming a beautiful frog some day with a beautiful voice.

"Well, this tadpole was sort of uppish, due, I suppose, to the fact that he was becoming more beautiful and was growing some feet. He lived in a babbling brook that ran down through some lovely woods just as fast as it could. The woods were so lovely that I rather wonder why the brook was in such a hurry to run by them, but that is likely to be a habit of brooks, I believe, especially if they are babbling brooks.

"Now, the tadpole lived in shallow water that was very clear and nice, and he was very curious and used to swim about, exploring the bed of the brook. And his mother, a very nice frog lady, didn't pay much attention to the tadpole except to give him some good advice:

"'Son, you must remember to stay where it is shallow water. The bed of the babbling brook about us here is very nice, and you must stay around it. Where the water is dark up yonder there is a deep pool, and in that pool lives a big fish that likes tadpoles. You must stay away from there.'

"Then the mamma frog swam away, and the tadpole remembered what she had said for awhile. Then, being very curious, he became naughty and disobedient, which is what many children do after they have become curious.

"He swam up to that dark deep pool and looked over into it. There, close to the bottom, lay a great big fish with lovely speckles. He made his home in that pool, and he was a great big trout.

"The great big trout seemed to be asleep, but he wasn't. He saw the tadpole looking at him, and all of a sudden he made a rush for that tadpole.

"It would have gone ill with the tadpole had the big trout caught him. But he got away just in time and hid under a rock. And he was more careful to mind his mamma after that, and he grew up to be a frog."

SPARTA MILITIA TO CAMP JULY TENTH

Battery A of Milwaukee Ordered to Camp Robinson Near Sparta During Month of July

SPARTA, Wis., May 12—(Special)—Company L goes to camp this year on July 10, which has been set as the date for the Third regiment to begin its week of drilling at Camp Douglas.

Following each regimental rifle competition between teams of twelve men, competition for non-distinguished marksmen will be held. The twelve men highest in the Third regiment competitions will be awarded the "distinguished marksman" decoration.

Battery A of Milwaukee has been ordered to attend a field target practice at Camp Robinson, near Sparta, July 18 to 27.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barker have returned to their Estherville home, after visiting Sparta friends.

Friends of Andrew Johnson will be pleased to note that he has now the honor of being the only law student orator from Northwestern University this year. He has chosen for his subject, "A World Government."

Mrs. O. S. Gustad has returned home from a visit with friends and relatives in Lanesboro, Minn.

Notice has been given that the Walrath bridge, southeast of Sparta will be closed beginning May 17, until repairs have been made.

Henry Dahl of Westby was a business caller here yesterday.

Henry C. Rowan of Elrop stopped in Sparta yesterday.

Miss Mayme Carlos is visiting in Cashton.

George W. Bindley returned last night from a short stay at Baraboo.

Beatrice Evans was at La Crosse last Sunday.

Mrs. G. E. Maine of Seattle, Wash., is visiting her niece here, Miss Jennie Scouten.

LeRoy Bindley left last evening for Baraboo where he will visit.

Miss Millie Erdman of Wilton has taken a position at the Sidney.

Mrs. K. W. Thurston has returned from a visit with friends in Watertown.

W. T. Jefferson is in Iowa looking after his business affairs.

Louis Larson of Elroy was here on business yesterday, returning this morning.

Mrs. Herman Birr who has been visiting in Milwaukee for several weeks has returned home.

BISURATED MAGNESIA

For sour acid stomachs, gas and fermentation of food. A teaspoonful in a fourth of a glass of hot water usually gives INSTANT RELIEF. Sold by O. T. Erhart and all druggists in either powder or tablet form at 50 cents per bottle.

BAR RUMORS SPREADERS

CHICAGO, May 12. — Two news bureau men were today suspended from the floor of the board of trade for disseminating false rumors, President Canby announced today. The men are Samuel Raymond, a member of the board of trade, and C. E. Moody, a newspaper man.

Woman's Health

and spirits depend upon her digestion and circulation. Sallow skin, pimples, facial blemishes and depression disappear after the system has been cleansed and the blood purified by

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LA CROSSE TO TOUR TO SAINT CHARLES

La Crosse will be represented in the Great Lakes to Puget Sound Highway dedication May 15, by the La Crosse Automobile association, which will send a car to lead a group from this city to St. Charles, Minn., in a minute inspection of the highway.

It has not yet been determined who will drive the car, and it is hoped by the association that many will go. Those who are desirous of making the trip may give their intentions to C. S. Van Auken, secretary of the La Crosse Board of Trade, at his office.

The La Crosse party will represent an important link in the inspection of the three and a half thousand miles of road which will be gone over by separate parties of automobilists in one day, May 15.

With the formal opening the the highway, thousands of automobile parties will use it in pleasure tours to the Pacific coast.

MINERS GET COMPENSATION

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 12.—The house today passed the Catlin bill bringing the employes in the anthracite coal fields under the provision of the proposed workmen's compensation act, by a vote of 166 to 0. The bill now goes to the governor for signature.

COCKROACHES IN THE KITCHEN

How to Exterminate These Pests That Spoil the Food

Nothing is more repulsive to the neat housewife than to see cockroaches crawling around the kitchen, pantry or closet, spoiling food and injuring clothing. The easiest and most effective way to completely exterminate them is with Stearns Electric Paste, the deadly foe of rats, mice, cockroaches, water bugs and all vermin.

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March Daily Average **7,687**

1—Mon	7,705	16—Tues	7,675
2—Tues	7,695	17—Wed	7,716
3—Wed	7,684	18—Thur	7,687
4—Thur	7,697	19—Fri	7,672
5—Fri	7,685	20—Sat	7,692
6—Sat	7,689	21—Sunday.	
7—Sunday.		22—Mon	7,676
8—Mon	7,682	23—Tues	7,697
9—Tues	7,689	24—Wed	7,709
10—Wed	7,683	25—Thur	7,658
11—Thur	7,702	26—Fri	7,681
12—Fri	7,697	27—Sat	7,704
13—Sat	7,676	28—Sunday.	
14—Sunday.		29—Mon	7,674
		30—Tues	7,675
15—Mon	7,671	31—Wed	7,683

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I, Frank H. Burgess, business manager of The La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of March, 1915, was as above stated.

Frank H. Burgess

Subscribed an sworn to before me this 5th day of April, 1915.

James Thompson

Notary Public.

PLAIN THOUGHTS FOR THE NATIONS

There is such a thing as a nation being so right that it does not need to convince others by force that it is right.

It takes President Wilson to strike the nub of a thought. In the above sentence he has not merely expressed a great policy in epigram, he has given inspiration to a forward movement trending toward a higher civilization in which war will be rejected as unfit.

The nation that is big enough to adopt that policy will have to fight only when invaded, and we are growing toward a point at which truth and justice may shame the devil. Those who say that this is ephemeral should recognize the fact that if nations would adopt it the idea would endure, and that for a great commonwealth like the United States to pursue it at this time may result in the war-tired nations coming to it at the close of their riot of destruction. Today it is a sentiment strong among the plain people of all lands, and the popularity of the president's course among our people may give an additional suggestion of expedience to foreign rulers.

In any event, it rests upon the firm foundation that it is "so right" that we need not convince others by force that it is right."

A PROMISE FOR A USEFUL FUTURE

The Art Association has purchased a painting. That is important. The picture may be the beginning of a valuable collection of art treasures that shall lend inspiration to our people. From the financial standpoint it represents a sound investment, for paintings of men who have "arrived" have an ever increasing value.

However, the thing that is best about the art society's first exhibit is not the generous interest of the members who have made the picture possible. The really big thing is that which encouraged them to buy the picture, and that will impel them to hold more exhibits and buy more pictures. We refer to the great popular interest in the exhibit, shown by the attendance of thousands of people from every section of the city. The last day, Sunday, saw more than five hundred visitors. Their presence told the Art Association members what they wanted to know—that the movement has taken on a broad and democratic character which guarantees its value as a community influence.

President Coate, the directors and every member of the society are to be congratulated upon the success of the association, but we deem it still more important to congratulate La Crosse upon the feeling of its citizens for art. The splendid showing made at this modest beginning promises a busy and useful future of the Art Association.

THE MAYOR'S NEW RULES

Mayor Bentley's plan to relieve congestion at the corner of Fourth and Main streets by readjusting the practices of the street car company is sensible and businesslike, and the readiness of the company to co-operate is admirable.

The mayor is just beginning, and the beginning seems very good. We accept it as an indication that an observing executive has set about improving conditions in the city, and we shall not be surprised if His Honor shall later investigate the sufficiency of the car service during certain hours of the day. Should the company meet this problem in as good temper as they have displayed regarding the crossing matter, the mayor's efforts will be relieved of much customary unpleasantness.

Already, it is understood, Mayor Bentley is preparing a revised set of automobile rules. He aims to make them reasonable and unburdensome within the limits of safety, and to enforce them vigorously. Enforcement is of particular importance in this city, where such regulations have been more or less of a dead letter, and the people should meet the attempt in a spirit of co-operation. One rule the constant violation of which is fraught with great danger is that compelling autoists to refrain from passing a car loading or unloading passengers. Perhaps it will be well for those who drive motors to observe that the new mayor's perfectly friendly tone is that of a man who means what he says.

TO DEMAND BIG NAVY

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The navy league of the United States now meeting in New York, may be expected in the next day or so to issue a demand for a special session of congress to provide for materially strengthening the United States navy. The league is prepared to urge a $500,000,000 bond issue for that purpose. This was made known here this afternoon by Chairman Robert Thompson of the organization's executive commitee.

NO FIGHTS FOR MICHIGAN

LANSING, Mich., May 12.—Governor Ferris today vetoed the Paul athletic commission bill which would legalize ten round, no decision boxing contests in Michigan. The governor stated that he regarded boxing bouts as stepping stones to prize fights and declared that clean sport needed no legal regulation. He intimated that he would place the lid on all glove contests as conducted in the state at present.

RAILMEN PRAISE WILSON

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 12—Eighty delegates of the National Railway Development association, in session here today passed resolutions of extreme confidence in and loyalty to President Wilson.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

One Hot Day in May

Oh, ladies, don't you pity us?
The real true slaves of style,
For when the season's changes come
You have us beat a mile.

We've often joined in mocking laugh
At things you were (not) wearing,
And then at times we've stood aghast
And marveled at your daring.

But pity us poor devils now
That summer's in the air;
We must conform to custom
Though 'twould make a preacher swear.

We dare not cast our coats aside,
At least not all the while,
For fear some one will us deride,
Or sting with cutting smile.

It seems to be our cruel fate
To follow Fashion's stern dictate
And swelter while we wait and wait
Until she sets the proper date.

Scene of His Operations

When illicit distilling was common in Ireland there was an old man who went about the country repairing whiskey pots. The gauger met him one day and asked him what he would take to inform him (the gauger) where he had repaired the last whisky pot.

"Och," said the old man, "I'll just take half a crown."

"Done!" retorted the gauger. "Here's your money, and be careful to tell me the truth."

"Och, I'll tell you no lie, sir. I just mended the last whisky pot where the hole was."

All in the Game

Crabshaw—I've no objection to your getting married, my dear; but I really can't stand the expense of a wedding.

Marjorie—I'll try to help you out, papa. Perhaps I can throw a scare into George and get him to propose an elopement.—Judge.

She Was Suspicious

George W. Perkins said, in his witty way, at a dinner:

"There are some people who insist on seeing an octopus in every trust. These people cross-question you as suspiciously as the young wife cross-questioned her husband after the banquet.

"A young husband attended his first banquet, and a few days afterward his wife said to him:

"'Howard, is it true that you were the only sober man at that banquet?'

"'No, of course not!' Howard indignantly answered.

"'Who was then?' said his wife."—Washington Star.

Sorority House Chatter

Clarice—Why, Mabel dear, what are you doing with these young men's pictures up here in your room?

Mabel—Oh, those? Why, that's my collection of souvenir spoons.—Nebraska Awgwan.

The Same Result

"How long have they been married?"

"About five years."

"Did she make him a good wife?"

"No; but she made him an awfully good husband."—Judge.

His Unlucky Year

"I never saw such a superstitious fellow as Bixby."

"What's his latest?"

"Why, he's been trying all the morning to prove that 1915 is an unlucky year. He's manipulated the figures 1-9-1-5 with addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, and the rule of three."

"What has he found that seems unlucky?

"Nothing, except that when he added 1-9-1-5 together and subtracted the total, 16, from 1915, it left 1899."

"Yes?"

"And that was the year he married."

The Silent Bell

Visitor—So there is a deaf and dumb ward? How do you call the inmates to dinner? You don't ring a bell?

Superintendent—No. A man walks through the halls wringing his hands.

Reversed the Order

Admiral Montagu was rather fond of telling the story of a young Japanese, with the national love of cleanliness, who came to London to study. As he was a stranger in the city he had to select his own lodgings. His first choice was not happy. The hall especially was dirty. This the newcomer did not like, but decided to say nothing. One rainy day the maid servant put up this notice:

"Please wipe your feet."

Seizing his opportunity, the student wrote underneath:

"On going out."

His Superior Reason

"I suppose your objections to women voting are about as sensible as the average man's?"

"No, I've got a new one. It would get us into the extravagant habit of betting hats with our wives on the election."—Puck.

Disliked Fat Hair

Narker entered a barber shop and, with a surly "hair-cut-and-quick-about-it," sat down in the chair. Now the barber was a chatty fellow, as is the custom of his trade, and he did not know Narker. After a few preliminary touches he remarked:

"Hair very thin on top, sir!"

"Very glad to hear it!" grunted Narker. "Hate fat hair myself!"

And Ingenious

Bing—I understand that Shmelts is lazy.

Biff—Lazy! You bet! Why, when he spanks his child he lays a carpet over the kid so that he can do two jobs at once.—Michigan Gargoyle.

Modern Living.

According to a New York physical expert, modern living is destroying the human body. That is one of the serious phases of the high cost of living.—Kansas City Journal.

Dr. Osler on Tuberculosis

Sir William Osler, one of the foremost of living medical men, formerly of Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, and now Regius Professor of Medicine at Oxford, says in his "Practice of Medicine" (1892), on page 249:

"The healing of pulmonary tuberculosis is shown clinically by the recovery of patients in whose sputa elastic tissue and bacilli have been found. * * * In the granulation products and associated pneumonia a scar tissue is formed, while the smaller caseous areas become impregnated with lime salts. To such conditions alone should the term healing be applied."

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A non-alcoholic tonic that will build up the blood and strengthen the nerves is what most people need and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are exactly that.

The one symptom of thin blood that everybody recognizes is pallor. It shows so gradually that other people are liable to notice it before you do. But it is important that you should notice and heed the warning because the thin blood that causes the pallor betrays some drain on the body or some poisoning by its own waste materials that, if not corrected, will result in physical breakdown and ill health.

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A Second "Under Two Flags"

THE RED MIRAGE

By I. A. R. WYLIE

Author of The Native Born, The Daughter of Brahma, Etc.

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"There is no need," he said: "It is you who can not escape. You have interfered with destiny, Englishman. You have saved our lives. Do you know what that means?"

"Death," was the steadfast answer. "Death if we are caught. Had I considered that, you would not be alive now. Have I your word?"

"No."

"Bind this man."

Half a dozen legionaries flung themselves upon Destinn. He made no resistance. His red eyes met Farquhar's with cool amusement.

"This is your hour," he said; "mine will come."

"Perhaps."

Both men were silent. A strange pitiable figure had crept out from the shadow of the rocks. It was Gotz—Gotz, scarcely recognizable save for the livid scar across his cheek. He staggered blindly, and his cracked and bloodless lips could make no sound. But he pointed westward. A low line of dust whirled against the scarlet horizon and came nearer. In the dying light flashes of silver broke through the rapidly moving cloud. They could almost hear the thud of galloping hoofs.

"Arabs!"

The word passed like a sigh from mouth to mouth. Farquhar turned to Destinn with a laugh in which there already rung the joy of battle.

"I think this is my hour and yours," he said; "our last."

But Destinn stared bitterly at his bound hands and made no answer.

CHAPTER XX.
The Return.

With the frenzied energy of madmen they cleared the ammunition wagon from the deep drifts of sand. The bodies of comrades, stiffened already in the agonized attitudes of their death, were flung ruthlessly aside; rifles were torn from cold tenacious hands; friends with whom they had marched and suffered were trampled under foot. There were seven hundred dead and a hundred living, and the seven hundred were forgotten. Fatigue, hunger and thirst were wiped out. As Farquhar surveyed this poor remnant of a regiment he saw men who had passed beyond despair into a ferocious ecstasy where the lust to kill is stronger than death and above life.

They crouched, silent and motionless, in the sand, with the sullen patience of wolves, hunted to their lair, who turn and wait, rigid in their tracks, for the aggressor. They did not look at Farquhar. Their red-rimmed, staring eyes were fixed beyond him on the slow-rolling line of dust. But they heard him. He could feel with a thrill of power how their nerves and muscles stiffened at his command. It was good to command again—good to hear the snap of a breechlock, and to know that this ugly, bedraggled crew of scalawags might become heroes, might rise to heights of splendid discipline because he led them and because they trusted him. He was back again among the men of his own race. This undulating plain was surely the veldt—the advancing peril De Wet's flying columns. The intervening years between then and now faded: the silent supreme hours of life—the fighting hours, stood out alone and became one. He gave his orders mechanically in French, but his heart had spoken them in another, dearer tongue.

"Hold your fire till I give the signal. They haven't seen us yet. Sight at five hundred yards, and when you let go pick out your men. Each bullet is a minute, and we haven't a minute to waste. Afterward go as you please, but remember you've got to stop them at fifty yards or it's all over. We can't stand a scuffle. Ready!"

They made no answer. Their eyes narrowed with grim understanding. Gotz, who had collapsed in an exhausted heap with his back against the unearthed carcass of a horse, looked up as Farquhar passed. His thin sportsman's face was alight with an almost boyish pleasure.

"Hadn't hoped for so much luck, Nameless," he whispered thickly. "Expected to depart this life in respectable company of hyenas, like poor Grey. And now I'm going to finish fighting under a damned Englishman. Confound your race, sir! Can't even die without you putting your Anglo-Saxon nose into it." He laughed, a dry, painful, little laugh, and jammed a cartridge into the breech of his rifle. His curiously delicate hands shook, and he cursed huskily at them with all the rich expressiveness of his native tongue. "I wish to the Lord I had my namesake's iron fist. Nameless, chuck me that poor devil's cartridges and get your prisoners in the rear. It won't make much difference in the long run, but one has to keep to the conventions. Ah, thunder and lightning, keep steady, will you?"

Colonel Destinn stood upright with his back against the emptied, overturned baggage-wagon. Arnaud, motionless and apparently overcome with exhaustion, crouched at his feet, his chin buried in his chest, but Destinn did not speak to him. He turned as Farquhar approached, and his gray brows contracted in a fierce effort to control some inexplicable emotion.

"Well?" he said.

"You had better get under cover," Farquhar returned curtly. "You are not safe there."

"I am as safe as any of you."

"You are a non-combatant. It is my duty to protect you to the utmost of my power."

The irony forced a grinding laugh from Destinn's compressed lips.

"A condemned man is granted a last request. Let me stay here."

It was an appeal, passionate beneath its disguise of sardonic humor. Farquhar shrugged his shoulders.

"As you will."

He went back to his post at the head of the line. Everything was now quiet. Each man kept his place, watchful, motionless. The dust had rolled on, and through the gray dusk which spread like a mist over the yellow shimmering plain, right into the scarlet nightfall they could count two hundred separate points of darkness. The cavalcade advanced rapidly and unconsciously.

(To be Continued.)

Dandruff Soon Ruins The Hair

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

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NORTH SIDE

THOUSANDS TAKEN INTO THE CHURCH BY INDIA WORKERS

Rev. E. M. Peterson Says Lutheran, Presbyterian, Baptist and Other Missions Co-operate

"India is the most promising land for the works of Christianity of the pagan countries of the world," is the statement of Rev. E. M. Peterson of Minneapolis, missionary to India, who conducted services at Bethel Lutheral church, Sill and George streets, Monday and last nights. He will speak this evening at 7:30, leaving for Chicago after the service.

Eighteen thousand converts have been brought into the Christian church through the Norwegian mission in India, Rev. Peterson says. The mission is situated one hundred and fifty miles north of Calcutta, the capital and metropolis of the country, employing six missionaries besides one hundred and fifty native helpers.

Held Back by War

Rev. Peterson has been engaged in the foreign field for nine years, being in this country now on a furlough. He attempted to get back to India last summer but after reaching Norway was forced to turn back on the outbreak of the war in Europe. He will return to the mission as soon as conditions permit.

A great influx of natives to the missions has characterized the work of the missionaries during the last few years, Rev. Peterson says. The Hindus up until a few years ago were apathetic if not hostile, he says, and only untiring work on the part of the missionaries can win them to Christianity.

The Norwegian mission is situated near Presbyterian, Church of England, Baptist and Methodist missions, all of which co-operate to as great an extent as is possible.

NORTH SIDE CHURCH CELEBRATES MAY 17

Charles Street Congregation Puts on Special Program Tonight for Norway's Natal Day

"Syttende Mai" exercises, in celebration of the one hundred and first anniversary of the independence of Norway, will be conducted this evening by the choir of the Charles Street Lutheran church in the church parlors, Charles and Sill streets. The program includes nine numbers.

It follows:

The Program

Piano solo—Selma Simenson.
Song by the Choir—"Ja, Vi Elske Dette Landet."
Recitation—Walborg Senstad.
Violin solo—Harvey West.
Vocal solo—Burdelle Morrison.
Song by the children of the congregation.
Piano duet—Ruth and Owen Whisler.
Vocal solo—Arthur Senstad.
Number by the male quartette.

BOYS "PLANT" TEN CANS

Thousands of tin cans, which have been collecting on Prospect street near the Burlington shops for years, are being buried by a shovel brigade organized from the boy scouts of Troop 1 of the north side. The first work was done last night under the direction of Health Officer A. M. Murphy. Work will be done from time to time on the pile of cans as the scouts are able, several trips to the "burial ground" being necessary before all the cans are out of the way.

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STIDUYK TO STAND TRIAL

Harry Stiduyk, aged 21, St. Paul, Minn., will be tried by Judge E. C. Higbee in circuit court this week on a charge of stealing several pieces of dry goods from a Milwaukee road freight car here.

Stiduyk was arrested by Milwaukee Road Detective William Burroughs, and Patrolman August Koschnitzka. The man was not asked to plead in county court, where he was arraigned and bound over.

Most Old People Are Constipated

The wear of years impairs the action of the bowels. With advancing age people are disposed to restricted activity and exercise, which is responsible for the constipated condition of most old folks. The digestive organs are more sensitive to the demands made upon them and rebel more quickly.

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North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store. Misses' pumps.

George Wartinbee is the guest of his brother, F. B. Wartinbee, 1444 Wood street.

George Beckett of Ontario, Wis., visited yesterday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Harry Spence, 1353 Kane street.

O. G. Sponheimer, Dubuque, transacted business on the north side on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Schneeberger, Sr., 813 Rose street, spent Sunday at St. Joseph's Ridge.

Mrs. A. M. Levens, Portage, is visiting north side friends.

L. Finger, Hustler, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of 1502 Kane.

Mrs. H. C. Baumgarten, 1415 Avon street, has returned from a visit in Cashton.

Miss Margaret Davis, 811 Gillette street, is the guest of friends and relatives in Tomah.

Miss Mable Pilger, who spent the past few days in Winona, has returned to her home, 1823 Wood street.

Mrs. John Gage, 622 Caledonia street, is the guest of friends and relatives in Tomah.

Miss Rena Erickson has returned to her home, 1727 George street, after spending a few days in St. Joseph's Ridge.

Miss Lillian Jojade, who has been the guest of friends in Winona, has returned to her home, 1818 Charles street.

Mrs. Barney Larson has returned to her home, 528 Caledonia street, from Kansas City, where she has been the guest of friends and relatives.

Mrs. Grant McClintock, West Salem, is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Nelson, 1352 Caledonia street.

John Knox, who spent the past few days at his home, 1352 Charles street, has returned to Rochester.

What has become of the old-fashioned movie theater with the false front?

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The Ladies' Aid society of the North Presbyterian church will be entertained tomorrow afternoon in the church parlors by Mesdames W. J. Grady, F. C. Herrington and Harry Spence.

A Remedy For All Pain

"The efficiency of any drug" says Dr. C. P. Robbins, "is known to us by the results we obtain from its use. If we are able to control pain and disease by means of any preparation, we certainly are warranted in its use. One of the principal symptoms of all diseases is pain, and this is what the patient most often applies to us for, i. e. something to relieve his pain. If we can arrest this promptly, the patient is most liable to trust in us for the other remedies which will effect a permanent cure. One remedy which I have used largely in my practice is Anti-kamnia Tablets. Many and varied are their uses. I have put them to the test on many occasions, and have never been disappointed. I found them especially valuable for headaches of malarial origin, where quinine was being taken. They appear to prevent the bad after-effects of the quinine. Anti-kamnia Tablets are also excellent for the headaches from improper digestion; also for headaches of a neuralgic origin, and especially for women subject to pains at certain times. Two Anti-kamnia Tablets give prompt relief, and in a short time the patient is able to go about as usual." These tablets may be obtained at all druggists. Ask for A-K Tablets. They are also unexcelled for headaches, neuralgia and all pains.

MILWAUKEE MEN OBJECT TO BILL OF WEISSLEDER

MADISON, Wis., May 12.—(Special.)—That the Weissleder bill limiting the power of the industrial commission in directing building safety work in Milwaukee might bring the ordinances of the Milwaukee common council and the state industrial commission into conflict over jurisdiction was the argument made by E. C. Van Seoy, representing the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association in Milwaukee. Chairman Charles H. Crownhart of of the industrial commission said that he did not believe the powers should be given to two bodies to exercise. City Clerk F. F. Leuch, Milwaukee, favored the bill and said it was urged by the council.

WHEEL HITS TOES MELSTER LOSES TWO

Robert Melster, of 1436 George street, Milwaukee road car repairer, lost the first and second toes of his left foot at eight o'clock this morning when a wheel of a car on the repair track fell on his foot. Melster stood with his foot on the rail behind the trucks and a jolt by a switch engine dislodged the wheel. The members were amputated by Dr. Suiter at the La Crosse hospital.

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BRINGING UP FATHER

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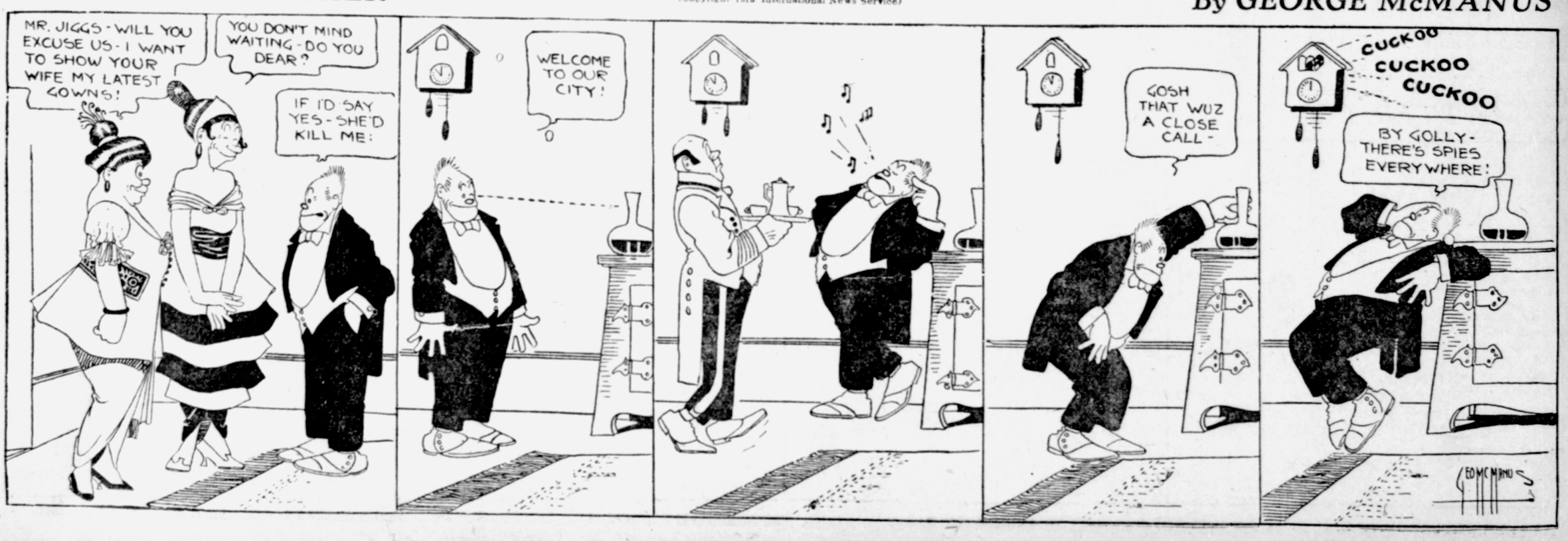

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FRANK CASE FOR PRESENT GOVERNOR

Slaton Not to Go Out of Office Until Four Days After Date Set for the Execution

ATLANTA, Ga., May 12.—Gov. Slaton seemed reasonably certain today to decide the fate of Leo M. Frank, re-sentenced to death Monday for the murder of Mary Phagan.

Slaton will not go out of office until June 26, four days later than the date set by Judge Hill for Frank's execution. Should the prison commission delay action beyond June 22 on the condemned man's petition for a commutation of sentence to life imprisonment, the present governor will, at any rate, be asked to respite him.

The commission's next regular session begins June 7, however and it is quite likely it will make its recommendation before Governor-elect Harris' inauguration.

Frank's respite, if necessary, is considered a foregone conclusion. Probably a majority of the people, despite the feeling against him at the time of his trial, believe his sentence will be commutated.

FAMILY DROWNS

EAST LIVERPOOL, Ohio, May 12—William N. Taylor, chief engineer at Dam Number 7 at Midland, Pa., hmis wife and two of his children were drowned today when their row boat was swept over at Bear Trap at the dam today.

SHIRT WAIST SETS
3 piece gold filled Shirt Waist Sets. Four attractive designs.
Special, 25c a set of three.
W. T. IRVINE. 429 Main Street

Going Away?
IF YOU are leaving town for the summer months, or for any period, long or short, let your first move be that of having the La Crosse Tribune follow you to your new address.
Special rates to those temporarily absent from the city. Be sure to call at the office or call us up and arrange for the delivery of your home papers, as you will want them and there is no need of missing a single issue.

Personals

B. A. Yeomen dance Tuesday.

Ed N. Holme, 1633 Prospect street is confined to a local hospital with illness.

Miss Blanche Dawson, of Detroit, Mich., was a La Crosse caller yesterday.

Mystic Workers' card party at K. P. hall Wednesday evening 8 o'clock.

J. W. Copsey, St. Sterling, Wis., spent yesterday in the city on business.

Ed. F. Fahey, St. Paul, transacted business here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith, Rockland, were the guests yesterday of friends and relatives in the city.

Attention! See display ad. for free traveling certificates.

John R. Peterson of Spring Grove, Minn., was a La Crosse visitor for a short time yesterday.

William McGill, Viroqua, spent yesterday in the city on business.

George Horne, Spring Grove, transacted business in the city between trains yesterday.

Ask your merchant for free C. & S. travel certificates.

Albert Hagerud has returned to his home in Viroqua, after being a La Crosse caller yesterday.

John T. Jacobson, Montevideo, Minn., transacted business in the city for a short time today.

Now is the time to plan your vacation and travel free by trading with merchants giving out free travel C. & C. certificates.

Walter K. Brose, Manitowoc, Wis., was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Mamie Scanlon and Charles Woehlke of La Crosse, were married Monday afternoon at the court house in Winona by Judge S. H. Somsen.

Hack and baggage calls made. Gateway City Trfr. Co. Phone 179.

Frank Brothers, Des Plaines, Ill., spent the day in La Crosse.

N. H. Hempstead, Kasson, Minn., was a La Crosse caller for a short time yesterday.

MILKMAN'S FINE IS REMITTED WHEN HE PAYS FOR COSTS

District Attorney and the Health Department Are Lenient with Kramer, Convicted Milk Dealer

The $25 fine assessed Oscar Kramer, Mormon Coulee milk dealer, found guilty by a jury in county court with selling unsanitary milk will probably be remitted, upon Kramer's payment of the heavy costs in the case. It was stated yesterday Kramer had already paid the fine, when the appeal which was made to circuit court was dropped by Kramer's attorney.

District Attorney Otto M. Schlabach agreed to remit the fine in view of extenuating evidence brought out in the county court trial. It was shown there that on the day of the inspection by city health officials and a state deputy food and dairy inspector, Kramer was away from his dairy and had left the work in charge of hired help.

Dr. J. M. Furstman, city health commissioner, today agreed to the remittance of the fine if Kramer was willing to pay the costs of the action.

HOT WEATHER DRINK

Horsford's Acid Phosphate

A teaspoonful added to a glass of cold tea or water, with sugar, is delightfully refreshing.

WEATHER BULLETIN

	(Lo)	(Hi)	(P.)
Boston	56	70	0
Charleston	66	72	2.06
New York	56	74	0
Washington	54	76	.14
Galveston	68	80	0
Jacksonville	68	80	.78
New Orleans	64	80	0
Chicago	60	76	0
La Crosse	60	84	0
Madison	60	78	0
Memphis	58	66	.52
Milwaukee	60	74	0
Bismarck	46	76	0
Huron	50	82	0
Kansas City	62	82	0
St. Paul	58	..	.10
Boise	50	60	.12
Denver	56	82	0
Helena	44	66	0
Miles City	58	76	0
Portland, Ore.	48	64	.04
Spokane	44	58	.08
Medicine Hat	38	70	.06

BROWN BESTS MURRAY

KENOSHA, Wis., May 12.—There were very few who saw last night's scrap between Chicago's Knockout Brown and Fighting Billy Murray over the ten round route at the Badger A. C. who don't believe the former won handily. The Californian bested Brown in only two rounds.

Last year there were 6,765 students registered in residence at the University of Wisconsin. This was growth during the two year period of 1,017, or 17.7 per cent.

HILLVIEW
Vegetable Plants
CABBAGE
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Out of the bed and out of pots. All the best early and late varieties.
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24th and La Crosse Streets
Take cemetery car which stops at our Greenhouse near Golf Likns.
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To Make Loose Teeth Firm and Strong

More care and attention are given to teeth today than ever before, says the Manchester Guardian. Children are examined in schools for teeth affections. It has been shown that those little yellow spots are sheltering places for germs that under the cover of these spots eat holes into the hard white enamel. Grit, tartar, hard substances between teeth and gums, cause teeth separation, bring on bleeding and nerve troubles. Soreness and ulcers come from dental microbes. Pyorrhea does not come all of a sudden. One is told to avoid the yellow coating of the teeth and black on the enamel inside the mouth. Loose teeth cause danger to the entire dental organization.

These troubles can easily be overcome if one will take action early. A good plan is to get from the druggist about four ounces of fluid ergan and use a teaspoonful morning, noon and night, rocking this about in the mouth a minute or so. This washes away the microbes that infest the mouth in sheltered cracks and crannies. The yellow coating peels off over night; in the morning you observe your own white of the teeth. Loose teeth become strong and firm, soreness and teeth disease disappear.

Society

FOR MISS FORD

Miss Irene McElliott entertained a number of friends at her apartment in the Wilson House Monday evening. Miss Edith Ford was the guest of honor.

DANCE AT MASONIC TEMPLE

A number of the high school and normal students enjoyed a pleasant dance at Masonic Temple Saturday evening. There were sixty couples present. The party was chaperoned by Prof. and Mrs. F. H. Fowler.

PICNIC RIDE

Mrs. Wilbur Holcomb, Miss May B. Atkins, Miss Helen Holcomb and Miss Lucy Kisler spent yesterday on a motor trip into the country.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Atkins, Miss May B. Atkins and O. E. Horne will leave in the Atkins car for Oconomowoc. Mrs. and Miss Atkins will spend a portion of the summer on the Atkins' farm, near Oconomowoc.

Miss Ellen Hixon has gone to New York.

Miss Lucy Kisler of Warren, N. Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Holcomb.

Mrs. J. W. Callaway of 226 North Seventh street, has been elected delegate to the Rebecca assembly which will be held in Manitowoc in June.

Food for Workers
Grape-Nuts
"There's a Reason"

CALEDONIA FROST DAMAGE IS LIGHT

Mothers of Nation Are Remembered Sunday at the Presbyterian Church; Carnations Given

OPTION PETITION FILED IN HOUSTON

Big Vote Is Expected at Brownsville, Hokah and Caledonia Fight to Maintain Saloons

CALEDONIA, Minn., May 12.—(Special.)—Considerable apprehension was felt during the cold weather of last week lest the fruit trees and gardens be damaged by frost, but the cold wave has passed and the damage done was slight.

In the nearby valleys the blossoms on fruit trees were nipped a bit by "Jack Frost," but on the ridge land the white coat to be seen in the early morning did no particular harm.

Observe Mother's Day

Mother's Day was observed in the Presbyterian church last Sabbath morning. A large congregation was present and at the close of the service the white and pink carnations, the flowers of the day, were given to those present. Many absent members of the congregation including the "shut-ins" were remembered and carnations sent them.

Houston Votes on Liquor

A county option petition was filed with County Auditor Newhouse at the court house Saturday, May 9. The election will be called for June 21.

Houston county has three "wet" villages, Brownsville, Hokah and Caledonia, with a total of eleven saloons in the county. There are several "dry" villages, the largest being Spring Grove, Houston and La Crescent. The fight promises to be keen, and despite the fact that the election will be held in the busy time of June, the vote will probably be above normal.

The people of Caledonia will look with resentment on the activities of "dry" advocates from other parts of the country, tending to deprive this village of $6,300 in license money. The 922 signers of the petition feel that the new law gives them a voice in the matter, and so the fight is on.

A rumor was current the fore part of the week that one of the leading saloon keepers had already sold out but this rumor seems to have been without foundation.

Class Play to be Good

The Princess Players show troupe is in Caledonia for a three days' visit and are putting on a good class of plays. The chief theatrical interest of the village centers at present, however, in the senior class play. This annual production on the part of each high school graduating class draws crowded houses. The play this year will be George Broadhurst's farce, "What Happened to Jones," and is said to be somewhat higher as to type, and more classy as to style than the average "piece" attempted by senior classes. Miss Catherine Casady, principal of the local high school is directing the play.

Study Club Meets

The Study club was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Cora Cochrane at Browning's hospital.

Mrs. Gurth Dorival gave an interesting talk on the subject of "The Sphinx."

Mrs. Clarence Belding read a paper on "The Music of Ancient Egypt" that was of more than usual interest.

Mrs. Norman Ramsey gave a reading from one of Booth Tarkington's latest stories.

The club voted to give a social at some time in the near future the benefits to go to the public library.

Among those present were the Mesdames G. Dorival, C. W. Belding, N. E. Dorival, C. J. Wheaton, John Dorival, Ely Hellickson, Norman Ramsey, Lucile Metcalf, R. D. Sprague, S. Whitbeck, Cora Cochrane and Miss Lottie Metcalf.

Members Attend Sale

This afternoon the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met in the church parlors. The meeting was in the nature of a luncheon and sale. The busy fingers of the members work industriously from week to week making articles to be sold by the Auxiliary. At this sale numerous fancy articles were sold which had been given the auxiliary by friends. Several members helped in the entertaining at which over one hundred were present.

Personals

Mr. C. J. Wheaton has purchased a new car, a Jeffreys, from the Bowers Auto company.

A. M. Rahm of Uniontown and Anton Nelson of Houston, purchased Paige autos here this week.

Mrs. C. E. Lyman left Monday for a week's stay in the Twin Cities, being sent as a delegate to the Eastern Star convention.

NEW ALBIN, IOWA

As to the rain and cold weather last week, farmers are just commencing to plant corn. The small grain is just above ground. But with this change in weather, prospects are that the crops will be fine providing that the river does not come up. Most of the cultivating land around here is in the bottoms and low lands, so of course all is up to the weather bureau.

The prospects for crops are very good, everything looks good down this way.

Mrs. B. Riley and daughter, Angelia, spent Monday at Lansing.

The University of Wisconsin, from its organization in 1854, until last June, granted 12,191 first and advanced degrees.

GRAND MID-SEASON
Opening and Showing
OF
Beautiful Hats
THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Everything New Worth While is Here in Great Profusion
You may come prepared to view the greatest variety of smart summer hats it has ever been our privilege to show.
In no former Season were Hats Ever so Dressy as Now.
There will be a splendid showing of Black Hats with dainty touches of white, also White Hats with dainty touches of black.
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MILLINERY SECTION.

RAIN DON'T HURT SURPRISE PARTY

New Albin Girls Surprise Miss Lager in Pouring Rain; Bride-to-be Tendered Parcel Shower

NEW ALBIN, Ia., May 12.—(Special.)—One of the leading social functions of the week was the prenuptial party and miscellaneous shower at the William Lager home.

In the midst of the pouring rain Thursday evening a crowd of young ladies walked into the Lager residence seeking Miss Florence, the bride-to-be.

On her appearance she was showered with many beautiful gifts to be used in her future household.

A mock wedding was an interesting feature of the evening with Susan Rippe at the piano.

Refreshments were served. The bride-elect received many beautiful gifts consisting of a cut glass set, napkins, towels, dishes, cooking utensils and many other useful things.

Personals

Mrs. B. Kelly and son Joseph spent a few days of last week at LaCrosse.

Charles Kuhitz spent Wednesday at La Crosse with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kroch and daughter, Delia, attended the funeral of a relative at Brownsville, Minn., Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Carroll returned home from Freeburg, Minn., after visiting with her sons, James and Lawrence.

Mary Dolan returned from La Crosse Monday evening after spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Martin Lyden.

Henry Rippie and daughter, Susan, visited friends at La Crosse part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dolan left on Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Martin Lyden.

Alex Cox of Brownsville, Minn., spent Sunday with friends and relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Carver Gantenbein and family accompanied by Mayme Powers spent Sunday at Genoa with relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. C. Boltz and son, Leland, returned home after visiting at Caledonia with her mother, Mrs. Vossum.

Stacia Dolan, Mayme Powers and Marguerite Hurley spent Saturday at La Crosse shopping.

D. E. Ray of McGregor, Ia., spent a few days of last week with friends.

D. E. Lahey visited friends in La Crosse last week.

In regards to frost and crops we had a very heavy frost here last Saturday evening.

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SHOE REPAIRING
107 North Third Street
Men's Nailed Soles ... 60c
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Work called for and delivered.
New Phone 1268-Blue.

SHINOLA
America's Home Shoe Polish

The Wax and Oil Polish that Preserves leather, Shines instantly, Sheds moisture and Stays shined.

HOME SET
Genuine Bristle Dauber—Lambs Wool Polisher. Makes Shoe Shining a Pleasure.

Home Set

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YOU PAY LESS HERE

MILLINERY NEWS

Beginning Thursday and continuing for the balance of the week, we offer all our beautiful

PATTERN HATS

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ARBUCKLE TALKS OF HIS LAST DINNER WITH KLEIN LOST ON THE LUSITANIA

"When I walked into the theater last night the first thing that struck my eyes was a poster that brought home to me forcibly two of the saddest events I have known. It was a 'one-sheet' pasted on the back wall of the theater. 'Henry B. Harris presents the great American play, The Lion and the Mouse, by Charles H.Klein' was the wording. Two great friends of mine—and both lost at sea in the same way. Harris went down with the Titanic and poor dear Charley is somewhere in St. George's Channel with the bones of the Lusitania."

Maclyn Arbuckle was talking over a table at the Woman's Exchange where he was sharing an after-theater supper with his old friend B. F. Locke. There was none of the Rev. Murray Hilton—his role in "The New Henrietta"—about "Jedge" Arbuckle's broad face as he talked of his lost friends. There was a suspicion of tremor in his voice as he told of a dinner with Klein the last time he met the playwright, a few months ago in New York.

"There were five of us dining with Joseph Brooks," he said. "Klein and I somehow or another got to talking of the Titanic disaster and Harris' end. Since last Saturday I have recalled his words many times. 'Maclyn,' he said, 'that's a terrible way to die. To know there is no escape and wait for death helplessly—it's horrible.' How his mind must have gone back to that quiet dinner talk as the Lusitania listed and sank.

"Charles Klein was one of the most lovable man I ever knew. Although I never appeared in any of his plays, I have watched him many times at rehearsals and there never was a gentler taskmaster. In him the American stage has lost a great treasure and with him have been lost two great plays which he was working out, and which he planned to bring out in the next few years. He told me something of them that night at Brooks'. They were big—big.

"Charles Frohman was another man whose death is a loss to the stage. He is sincerely mourned by everyone who ever knew him. News of his death was a great shock to 'The New Henrietta' company, for with the exception of Miss Taliaferro all of us have appeared in his productions. A friendly, quiet man, courteous at rehearsals, and with a wonderful knowledge of stage technique and a keen sense of the dramatic."

Mr. Arbuckle appeared in two Frohman productions many years ago—"The Girl I Left Behind Me" and "Men and Women."

"Did you read what Rita Jolivet said Frohman said to her as she left him on the Lusitania. It was characteristic. I feel sure that Miss Jolivet was correctly reported. 'Why should one fear death?' he said. 'It is just one more adventure.' That was Charley Frohman all over."

WILSON DECIDES COURSE AND NOTE IS BEING PREPARED

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the United States has lost heavily and, so far as the evidence indicated, through German operations; he would refer, in connection with this latter assertion, to the Falaba, Cushing and Gulflight incidents and especially to the Lusitania case; he would admit, probably, that the testimony did not conclusively prove Germany's responsibility for attacks on the Cushing and Gulflight but would inquire if responsibility were accepted for them; he would point out that it was, in fact, accepted so far as the Falaba and Lusitania were concerned and finally, he would ask assurances be given against a repetition of such happenings in future.

There was good authority for the statement that no alternative would be mentioned in event of a German refusal to comply with these requests—that there would be nothing in the nature of a threat or ultimatum—the communication would be largely in the nature—it was understood—of a dignified remonstrance against German methods, known and indicated, of Germany's method of conducting its submarine warfare in the waters surrounding the British Isles; it would not accept German assertions that such methods were justified by the allies' policy and it would refuse to indorse the German view that the warnings given by the German government excused the damage done to American property interests or the destruction of American lives.

If Germany proved obdurate, the question was asked: "What will the administration do?"

There was less certainty concerning this question than relative to the things the president would say in his communication to Berlin.

Some persons close to him were of the opinion that he has not gone so far as this in considering the situation—that he would be guided by events.

The German note, which reached Washington Tuesday through Ambassador Gerard was generally taken as foreshadowing a policy of conciliation. Persons who believed this to be the case hardly thought, indeed, that the kaiser had any intention of abandoning his submarine campaign, but they did look for a friendly answer from Berlin to what the administration had to say. This, they felt would leave the door open for further negotiations and they did not deem in entirely impossible that greater care would be exercised in future to avoid injury to neutrals.

This was the optimistic view.

Men who were less hopeful predicted either a German refusal to comply with American requests or an evasive reply from Berlin, followed by further negotiations during which Americans would continue to suffer, with a final necessity for a break in the exchange of communications between the two capitals.

U. S. Not to be Warlike

No body, hopeful or otherwise, believed the administration would at any stage of the case take an initiatively warlike attitude.

Some, indeed, thought the upshot would be the recall of Ambassador Gerard from Berlin, of all American consular representatives from Germany and the handing of his passports to Ambassador Bernstorff, on the ground that diplomatic relations could not be continued with a government which sanctions Germany's methods of fighting, insofar as neutrals' rights and safety are concerned. This is speculation, however.

Not Strong Case

That the Lusitania case was not a strong one, from the American standpoint, was widely admitted. The liner, after all, it was pointed out, was British; what happened to it was not this government's affair; its citizens' fate, to be sure, concerned it, but the best judges of international law agreed that their status was doubtful, at least, sailing under the flag of a belligerent power.

This was held to be true also in the Falaba case.

The Cushing and Gulflight cases, however, were deemed very strong.

State Department Busy

Of the various government departments, outside the White house, the state department was busiest.

To it, of course, came first all communications from abroad bearing on the situation and through it were transmitted the administration's replies, though incoming notes were well known to be sent without loss of time to the president and all answers relating to the pending controversy were thought to be at least outlined by the executive himself.

State department visits, too, were numerous from foreign diplomats in Washington. The representatives of neutral countries, closely watching the American course, were much in evidence.

It was whispered, too, that the department was worried over the vocal activities of Herr Dernburg as an advocate in this country on the kaiser's behalf. Stories were numerous that the Washington government planned steps to secure his departure from the country. Well informed men inclined to doubt them.

Navy Abandons Trip

To just what extent the navy department was interested in the pending events, it was hard to say.

The Atlantic fleet's trip through the Panama canal had virtually been abandoned but this decision was not mentioned in connection with the European war situation. It would be undesirable in any case, it was remarked, for the fleet to be cut in two by a canal slide and it would be still worse to have a dreadnaught stranded in the big ditch.

At the war department not a sign of unusual activity was visible.

Department officials said they knew nothing of a report that a guard of coast artillerymen had been sent to the Dover, N. J., government powder mills. They stated however, that there, as over all government warehouses and factories, a guard was customary. They thought it was possible it might have been changed by some subordinate authority, but if so it was purely a routine matter.

President Wilson, to all outward indications, was taking everything quite as a matter of course except that he was more constantly than usual in his study.

President Keeps Up Well

This, however, was significant enough. His advisers said there was not a development in the international situation which he was not handling personally. The amount of work he was doing, they asserted, was enormous and some fears were expressed that he would break under the strain. Of this, however, there was no sign; he looked and acted in perfect health and spirits.

England Should Apologize

BERLIN, May 12.—A semi-official statement issued here today declares that the need for making an apology for the loss of American lives on the Lusitania, such as Germany already has made, should be plain to England.

FRENCH ADVANCE EVERYWHERE SAYS PARIS WAR OFFICE

Only German Success Admitted Is Recapture of Trenches Near Loos

ARTILLERY POUNDS OUT A PATH

Material Progress Claimed by the French Between Lens and Arras

PARIS, May 12—German troops in strong force, by a series of night attacks, succeeded in retaking a part of the trenches before Loos, carried by the French yesterday, according to today's official communique.

This, however, was the only point where the French have not either maintained the territory taken in yesterday's fighting or made additional slight gains, the war office says.

The French are continuing today their efforts to break through the German lines between Lens and Arras. Already material progress has been made, the French holding the first and second lines of German trenches and having been able to bring up additional artillery to break down the entanglements which prevent the carrying of the reserve lines by storm.

Advices received here today show that all along the battle line from a point just west of Rheims the French are on the offensive. Because of almost impregnable positions held by the enemy, progress must of necessity be by inches and feet rather than by yards. And at every point the artillery must break away for the infantry.

Up to the present the Germans seem to have reserved their asphyxiating gases for use against the British, French and Belgians between the Belgian frontier and the North sea.

In the north just beyond Dixmude the Belgians were reported today to be maintaining their hold on a bridge head which was captured early yesterday. They have erected barricades and have mounted heavy artillery commanding all of the approaches. It is expected that a determined effort will be made to push forward at this point as a success here would force the Germans to let up their pressure on the British position at Ypres.

Russians Admit Retreat

PETROGRAD, May 12.—Admitting a gradual retreat and very heavy losses to their own forces the Russian war office today declared that the losses of the Germans already are overwhelming. For nine days, the war office says, a general frontal assault on fortified positions has been maintained by the Germans and Austrians. The enemy has come on in irresistible numbers, the report says and it has been necessary for the Russians gradually to retire. In the movement the Russians have taken all of their cannon, munitions and camp equipment with them.

Many Russian prisoners taken by the Germans are said to have been for the most part wounded who were unable to follow the gradual Russian retreat. The Russian lines in Galicia are now said to be holding new positions and checking the German advance.

In the Baltic provinces the Germans are now reported to be slowly retreating, the Russian forces there having been heavily reinforced.

Vienna Reports Progress

BERLIN, via Wireless, May 12.—The following report of operations of the Austro-German army covering only to May 10 was made public in Vienna today:

"The third Russian army, repulsed from western Galicia and the Carpathians has now been pressed in the district between Sanok (38 miles southwest of Jaroslaw) and Lisko (eight miles southeast.)

"The allied armies are making evry successful progress to date, 8,000 prisoners having been taken in west Galicia and 20,000 in the Carpathians, together with 60 cannon and 200 machine guns."

Chas. Chaplin is coming to the Lyric next Sunday in "A NIGHT OUT"

TONIGHT
Fine four reel program
To all—5c—To all
AT THE LYRIC

Big sea drama
"WHEN FIRE RAGED"
Pathe feature
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Lois Weber and Phillips Smalley in
"SUNSHINE MOLLY"
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
This Week
THE BIJOU

THE DOME
WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY
"IF I WERE YOUNG AGAIN"
Two reels.
"SOPHIA AND THE MAN OF HER CHOICE."
"THE CHILD THOU GAVEST ME."

DREAMLAND
TODAY ONLY
THE INDIAN PLAYERS
present their passion play
"HIAWATHA"
In four parts, with **Indian maid and lecturer in costumes.** Indian songs and music.
Evening 7 o'clock. 10c to all.

THE CASINO
"HER STRANGE INHERITANCE"
Three part Broadway star feature, Norma Talmadge and Van Dyke Brooks, also
A GEORGE ADE FABLE.

THE CASINO
The Baby Show scheduled for today and tomorrow has been postponed for one week.

THE STAR
"A MODERN NOBLE," 2 reels
"RUM AND WALLPAPER,"
Keystone
COME AND LAUGH, Sure Shot
4 Reels—5c

'DOPEY BENNY' FEIN 'SQUEALS' ON 34

New York Police Arresting Labor Leaders and Gunmen Hired, It Is Said, to Scare Employers

THEY LEFT BENNY TOO LONG IN JAIL

Famous Gotham Gunman Goes Before Grand Jury When His Bail Is Not Produced

NEW YORK, May 12.—"Dopey Benny" Fein, for years the most feared gunman on the east side, kept his threat and "squealed." Today detectives were busy arresting thirty-four persons, including three "strong arm women," who were indicted by the grand jury as a result of Fein's confession.

The thirty-four include labor leaders and gunmen. Fein alleges the labor leaders hired the gunmen to intimidate employers and to wreck shops where union labor was discriminated against.

Fein was arrested months ago in connection with an assault case. His bond was set at $7,500. After he had spent weeks behind the bars he sent word out that he would "squeal" if some one did not get busy and get his release on bail. Police detectives heard of this and immediately had Fein's bail raised to $15,000. Friends appeared at the district attorney's office with $7,500 to obtain Fein's release only to learn that much more was required. The additional money was not raised quickly enough and Fein "squealed." For days he was before the grand jury, telling his story. Detectives were at work obtaining other evidence at the same time to corroborate his statements with the result that thirty-four were indicted.

The three women he used to destroy shops where women were employed Fein swore that labor leaders hired his "gunmen," giving him $12 a day for furnishing them. In addition Fein said he got a "rake off" from each gunman's pay. His earnings, he boasted, had been $10,000 a year.

HUNDREDS TO TAKE HIGH SUMMER WORK SAYS M'CORMICK

Surprising Enrollment Develops for New Vacation School Suggested by Principal

Three hundred and fifty names have been handed in to Principal B. E. McCormick by pupils who intend to take up work in summer school at the high school this summer. This number will insure a successful summer school as nearly every study regularly upon the high school curriculum will be in demand enough to insure a class.

According to present plans the school will start the Monday following the closing of school and will continue for six weeks. This will allow a vacation after the summer school has dismissed of at least a month so that pupils will not come back to school in the fall tired out by the summer's work.

School will begin at 7:30 a. m. and will dismiss at noon. The morning session will be divided into four periods of an hour each, with a ten minute recess between each period. Students will not be required to remain in school during the entire session, but will report for classes only. The reason for starting school in the morning so early is that students will then be through with the day's work before it gets too hot to study. There will be no afternoon session except that students may interview teachers during that time if they need special help with their studies.

Two subjects will be the limit which any student can take up during the summer as the work required on each will be so great that a student would be unable to master more than that number of studies. Work in any study will count the same as a semester's work in the regular school year.

MANY BOOSTERS GO TO RIVER HEARING AT DUBUQUE, IOWA

When the conference of shippers from Mississippi river cities is held at Dubuque on June 9, La Crosse will probably be represented by a large group of business and manufacturing men who will make a business junket out of the occasion. They may charter a special car for the trip.

Officers of the Board of Trade, Vice President William Torrance of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association, and other enthusiastic river boosters have taken the organization work in hand and will pilot the party to Dubuque.

The purpose of the trip is to stimulate enthusiasm in the rejuvenation of the Mississippi as a freight carrier.

AID MEETS THURSDAY

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. K. White, 1414 Main street.

MRS. PETERSON ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Philip A. Pederson entertained three tables at bridge Monday afternoon. Mrs. Charles Preutz and Mrs. John Williams won the prizes.

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Mesdames Finch, Olberg and Kleeber to Go to Reedsburg for Twenteieth Century Ladies

Mrs. Lillian Finch, Mrs. C. A. Olberg and Mrs. L. Kleeber will represent the La Crosse Twentieth Century club at the district convention to be held at Reedsburg on the 26th and 27th of May, having been elected delegates at the regular meeting of the club at the home of Mrs. T. S. Oadams, 231 South Eighth street, Tuesday afternoon. Alternates chosen were Mrs. B. C. Smith, Mrs. Arthur Millington and Mrs. W. T. Sadler.

The club was entertained by Mrs. Oadams and Mrs. A. W. Schall and the lesson, Robert Louis Stevenson, was presented by Mrs. L. Kleeber and Mrs. E. G. Perkins.

COUPON BALLOT BILL IS AGAIN KILLED BY LEGISLATORS

MADISON, Wis., May 12.—(Special.)—By a vote of 43 to 42 the assembly reconsidered the vote by which it killed the Hambrecht bill to make the Dunn coupon ballot state wide and compulsory. The bill was favored by Assemblyman Whitcomb and opposed by Assemblyman Henry Freehoff of La Crosse county.

Assemblyman Kurtenacker said the system should not be made state-wide. He thought the present law, giving the county the option of adopting the plan, was sufficient. Hambrecht told of the dangers found under the present system, which he said would be corrected by the Dunn ballot law.

Mortenson of Juneau county said fraud had not been proven in Wisconsin elections, for that reason he believed the present Australian system was good enough.

Hambrecht said that the expense of printing the Dunn ballot was cheaper. He said that 4,000 Australian ballots cost Juneau county $650 in 1914, while 11,000 Dunn coupon ballots for La Crosse county cost only $120.

The assembly after an hour and a half debate killed the coupon ballot bill by a vote of 54 to 31.

DOUBLE WEDDING AT SCHAMS HOME IS A BIG AFFAIR

Miss Susie Kemp and Carl Schams and William Gronemus and Miss Dora Schams were married yesterday at 9 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Schams of St. Joseph's Ridge, parents of Mr. and Miss Schams. Miss Kemp is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richter Kemp of Mormon Coulee. William Gronemus is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Gronemus of Mormon Coulee.

The double wedding attracted relatives and friends from several townships, the ceremony being one of the largest ever held at St. Joseph's Ridge. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Frehling.

Attending the couples were Miss Clara Kemp of Mormon Coulee and Albert Kreibich of Arcadia, and Geo. Gronemus of Cashton and Miss Ida Schams.

ALBERT ZISCHKE PASSES

Albert Zischke, resident of La Crosse for more than forty-five years, died at 6 o'clock this morning at his home, 1220 South Fifth street, after a several weeks' illness with a complication of diseases. He was born in Germany, January 11, 1863.

Surviving him are his widow and six children, Mrs. William Tanke and Louise, Theodore, Albert, Arthur and George; and one sister, Mrs. Charles Bartz, all of La Crosse.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 Saturday afternoon at the home, Rev. Julius T. Gamm officiating. Interment will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

'Y' CHORUSES HAVE ANNUAL CONCERT READY FOR PUBLIC

More Than a Hundred Persons to Participate in Musical Treat to Be Given Tomorrow

Twelve numbers are included in the program of the annual concert of the orchestra to be given at 8:15 tomorrow evening in the gymnasium at the association.

Upwards of one hundred persons will take part in the program, forty-five boys of the association alone being included in the chorus. The combined men's choruses of the Y. M. C. A. and of the First German Methodist church will number forty people and the orchestra numbers fifteen pieces.

Four soloists will be employed, Glen Halik having a prominent place on the program with a violin solo. Other soloists are Frank Root, baritone; C. I. Erickson, trombone; and Charles Weis, piano.

One of the principal numbers of the evening will be "Excelsior," given by the combined men's choruses of the association and the First German Methodist church.

The program follows:

(a) March, "Speed Kings" Op. 312 ..... Losey
(b) Overture, "Mosaic" ..Rollinson
"In the Gloaming" ..... Arr. by Carrie B. Adams
Male chorus—Solo by Mr. Howe.
"Hark, Hark, the Lark" piano solo ..... Liszt
Charles Weis.
"Serenade," trombone solo.Schubert
Mr. C. I. Erickson.
"Roses in June," vocal solo ..... Frank Root.
Violin obdigato by Miss Dean Root.
"Court Royal." overture.Gruenwald
Orchestra.
(a) "I Didn't Raise My Boy to be a Soldier" .....Bryan-Piantadosi
(b) "Virginia Lee" .....
Junior Chorus.
Solos by Gordon Kerr and Mr. Bearmore.
"Brindisi," violin solo ..... Alard
Mr. Glen Halik.
"Excelsior" ..... Balfe-Nevin
Y. M. C. A. and Wesleyan Male Choruses.
Solos by Mr. Hoff and Mr. Bearmore.
"Purple and Gold," march ....Hunt
Orchestra.

PETER O. LIMOSETH IS LAID AT REST

Funeral services for Peter O. Limoseth, well known blacksmith and wagon maker of the Mormon Coulee road, who died Sunday at a local hospital after a several weeks' illness, were held at 2 o'clock today at the residence, 1915 Mormon Coulee road, and at 2:30 at St. Paul's Norwegian Lutheran church, Rev. H. J. Hellestvedt and Rev. H. G. Magelssen officiating. Interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

MRS. VAN BAALEN CALLED

Mrs. Sarah Van Baalen, for years a resident of La Crosse, died last week at her home in Minneapolis, according to word received in La Crosse today. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Max Goldman and Mrs. Louis Goldberg, of Minneapolis, formerly of La Crosse.

Hey Fellers!
Vacation Starts On June 18th

Favorite haunts of school youngsters will soon be inhabited by their patrons steadily as school will dismiss in the near future and turn five thousand shouting "school kids" out upon the town for the summer vacation. June 18 will see the last school for the grades this semester after which date their time will be their own with no tyrannical "teacher" to dictate where and how each minute shall be spent.

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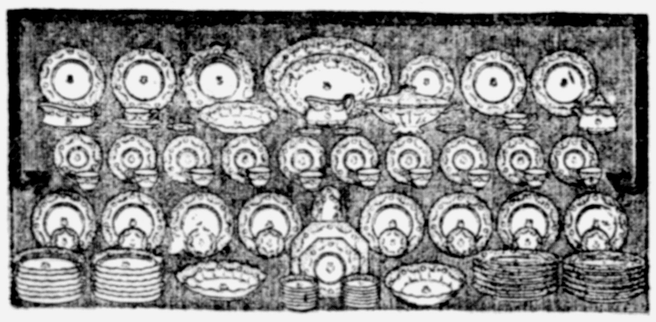

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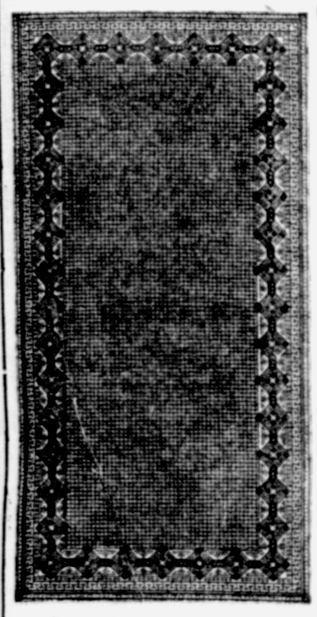

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Read Program in Wednesday Tribune.

CALL DATE HOODOO

MOUNT VERNON, Ill., May 12.—Johnny Bunny was scheduled to appear as an attraction on an August date in the Mount Vernon chautauqua program. When he died Elbert Hubbard contracted to fill the date. As a result of Hubbard's death in the Lusitania disaster the promoters probably will pass up the date as a hoodoo.

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RUSHFORD FRUIT HURT BY FROST

Thin Ice and Heavy Frost Kill Fruit and Garden Truck; Too Early to Figure Loss

RUSHFORD, Minn., May 12.—(Special.)—So far as can now be ascertained, the frost of last week did a good bit of damage to small fruit, plums and apples in this city and vicinity. Garden truck and small fruit left unprotected were frozen stiff and plum and apple blossoms, while protected somewhat by the foliage of the trees, yet bear the tell-tale brown touches of the cold. On the uplands and ridges, drinking troughs bore a thin coat of ice, but Mr. F. Sandhammer, agricultural instructor here, believes but little damage was done to fruit. Many say it is too early as yet to estimate definitely the damage. The crops in the outlying districts bid fair to yield a fine acreage, so far as present indications are to be trusted and although corn has but recently been planted, a good amount has been put in by the most of farmers. Indications now all point to a splendid harvest if no damage is done by future floods, etc.

Mothers' Day Program

Mothers' Day services at the Rushford Presbyterian church brought out a splendid congregation, which listened with great interest to the readings, recitations and music given. A specially prepared sermon for the day was given by Rev. J. C. Bantley, the pastor, glowing tributes being paid to the mothers of the land. As the congregation dispersed, all mothers present were given pink or white carnations in memory of the day.

Memorial Day Plans

Preparations are in progress for the Memorial Day services, which will be held in this city as usual. At this date it is yet undecided as to where they will take place but presumably in the Rushford opera house. Definite notice will be given later.

W. C. T. U. in Meet

The district convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held at Cherry Grove, Minn., this year, the first week of June. About four delegates will be sent from this city, it is thought, the local union consisting of about eighty-five members.

Gullickson Decorates Church

By mistake it was stated last week that Contractor John Akre of this city had just completed a new church building for the Dunkard colony at Greenleafton, Minn. This is a mistake, as the church is not new, but is being redecorated inside by Mr. L. A. Gullickson of this city.

VIROQUA

VIROQUA, Wis., May 1.—(Special.)—Mr. Dan Carr, Sr., is quite ill at his home at Cherry Grove.

Gerald Smith visited in West Salem and Sparta recently.

Katherine Lindemann spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother.

Mabel Fortun, who is attending La Crosse normal, came home for Mother's Day. She will graduate from the normal this spring and has already been engaged to teach the third grade at New Lisbon.

Eva Slack spent a couple of days with friends in La Crosse.

Ethel Hamilton, who has been teaching in a kindergarten in Sioux City, Iowa, has come home for the summer.

Vivian Fawcett attended the junior "prom" at the La Crosse normal.

The Misses Frohmader of Camp Douglas are visiting at the Fridell home.

Mother's Day was observed at the congregational church by appropriate sermons and by a special song service in the evening.

Charity Hoyt of Chaseburg visited Katherine Lindemann at her home here.

Rev. Bayne took the topic "Why I Am Proud of My Congregation" at Christian Endeavor Sunday evening.

Mr. C. W. Franklin purchased of Mr. John Davis his Fort automobile.

P. W. Hutson accompanied Helen Graves and Gerald Smith to La Crosse where they took part in the declamatory and oratorical contests. Helen Graves received second place in the girls' contest and Gerald Smith third in the boys'.

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Famous Football Player Who Was on Lusitania

Lothrop Withington

Old Harvard graduates have fresh in their minds the grand playing of Lothrop Withington, when he led the Crimson football team in 1910. Withington, a passenger on the Lusitania, was one of the best line men who ever played on a Harvard eleven, and he also starred as a member of the varsity crew of 1909 that defeated Yale.

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Novelist Went Down on the Lusitania

Justus Miles Forman, novelist and playwright, who was crossing the Atlantic with Charles Frohman, the theatrical producer, was among the Americans who are believed to have gone down on the Lusitania. He and Mr. Frohman and Charles Klein, the playwright, made up a party on the trip.

U. S. NAVY READY

NEW YORK, May 12.—Admiral Fletcher, while on his way to the luncheon given to the officers of the Atlantic fleet by the Sons of the American Revolution today, said that, speaking unofficially, the ships now in the Hudson river could get under way in two hours.

"And the ships are amply prepared for action," the admiral added.

A large number of distinguished guests and city officials welcomed the navy officers to the luncheon.

POST PRAISES WILSON

CHICAGO, May 12.—Today's Chicago Post printed the following editorial under the caption "The President:"

"May Providence give the president of the United States wisdom wherewith to act in this crisis as splendidly as he spoke of it in his speech last night at Philadelphia."

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LA FOLLETTE URGES PEACE ON WILSON

WASHINGTON, May 12. — Senators Stone and La Follette, callers on the president today, talked peace and both expressed the conviction that the ship purchase bill would pass at the next session of congress.

Stone said he was for peace, indeed, but for peace with honor.

La Follette expressed himself as favoring firmness by the government in its international dealings, but not for firmness accompanied by drastic threats.

CUNARDERS CANCEL SAILINGS

LONDON, May 12. — It was announced today that there will be no sailings of Cunard steamships for the United States on Saturday. In addition the proposed first trip of the Mauretania since it was turned back to the line by the British government and which was scheduled for May 29, has also been cancelled.

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SPELLING BOOKS POPULAR; SALEM TO HAVE A "BEE"

Spelling and Declamatory Contest to Take Place at Congregational Church Saturday

WEST SALEM, Wis., May 12.—(Special.)—La Crosse county will hold a spelling and declamatory contest at the Congregational church at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, May 15.

The following will take part in the spelling contest: Irma Wolf, Barre; Katie Morgadant, Bangor; John Ruedy, Bangor; Ruth Schaller, Burns; Raymond Violet, Campbell; Madge Paisley, Farmington; Elroy Lemke, Greenfield; Josie Michaelson, Hamilton; Adah Moe, Holland; Luella C. Casberg, Holmen; Esther Tabbert, Onalaska; Irma Raymond, Shelby; Mabel Ambrosen, Washington, and Marguerite Trimbell, West Salem.

The prizes will be: First, expenses of a trip to the state fair, (when winner takes part in state contest) paid by state fair board; second, $3; third, $2; fourth, $1; fifth, $1.

Those taking part in the speaking contest are:

Esther Kleinsmith, Barre; Dorothy Jones, Bangor; Emma Anderson, Bangor; Gretchen Hauser, Campbell; Irma Jewell, Farmington; Esther Marking, Hamilton; Winifred Halderson, Holland; Howard Westerhouse, Onalaska; Rosella Betz, Shelby; Adolph Kaula, Washington; Della Deen Diefenthaler.

Club Entertains

Mrs. C. Hodges entertained the ladies of the Birthday club and their husbands at her home on Main street in honor of her birthday, at supper on Monday evening. The party consisted of the following: Messrs. and Mesdames Frank Bolles, Elmer Samuels, R. M. Taylor, S. R. Wakefield, S. L. McKee, S. W. Brown, Martin McEldowney, W. F. McEldowney and George Middlebrook; Mr. E. C. Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knudson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Miss Nellie Smead and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Selden.

Mrs. Samuels and Mrs. Bolles assisted Mrs. Hodges. The hostess was presented with silver.

Local and Personal

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church enjoyed a pleasant trip to the farm home of Mrs. C. Buol a few miles east of town Tuesday afternoon. The time was spent in sewing. A lovely supper was served at 6 o'clock by a number of the ladies.

Miss Rachel McEldowney entertained the faculty and officers of the Agricultural school of Onalaska, at her home here on Saturday afternoon.

The Misses Hazel Brown and Faye Aldrich of the La Crosse state normal school, spent Monday evening at their homes here.

Jay Wilson of Chicago, is a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. S. L. McKee this week.

TEXAS HOUSE BACKS WILSON

AUSTIN, Texas, May 12—Following the senate's course, the Texas house adopted resolutions upholding the president in the Lusitania situation.

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SPORTS

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ALEXANDER WINS ANOTHER

Holds Pirates to Four Hits Yesterday; Giants Throw Game in the Eighth Inning

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Washington 2; Chicago 0

CHICAGO, May 12.—Washington, the first of the eastern clubs to invade Chicago, shut out the locals, 2 to 0, on Tuesday.

They won the game from Scott in the fourth inning, when a base on balls and a double by Morgan netted a run. Their other run came on Moeller's homer off Benz. Sensational fielding behind Shaw in the pinches prevented the locals from scoring.

Score:	R	H	E
Washington	000110000—2	7	0
Chicago	000000000—0	4	2

Batteries: Shaw and Henry; Scott, Benz and Daly.

Detroit 5; Boston 1

DETROIT, May 12.—The Tigers won from the Red Sox on Tuesday 5 to 1. Dauss was very effective, keeping the few hits scattered.

The score:	R	H	E
Boston	000010000—1	4	3
Detroit	10102100x—5	10	2

Batteries: Ruth, Mays and Thomas; Dauss and Baker.

Cleveland 3; New York 1

CLEVELAND, May 12.—The Yankees were unable to hit Hagerman on Tuesday and the Indians won 3 to 1. Hagerman was wild but steadied with men on bases. The game was featured by two catches by Leibold. Jackson also starred at the bat, collecting a triple, a double and a single.

Score:	R	H	E
New York	000000010—1	3	2
Cleveland	10200000x—3	8	0

Batteries: Keating, Sweeney and Nunamaker; Hagerman and Egan.

Macks 3; St. Louis 0

ST. LOUIS, May 12.—The Athletics defeated the Browns in the opening game of the series here yesterday afternoon 3 to 0. Shawkey held the Browns to three hits. The score:

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	000200100—3	7	1
St. Louis	000000000—0	3	4

Batteries: Shawkey and Schang; Hoch and Agnew.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Philadelphia 4; Pittsburgh 2

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Grover Alexander held the Pirates to four hits yesterday, three of which were made by Doc Johnson and the Phillies won 4 to 2. Score:

	R	H	E
Pittsburgh	001000010—2	4	2
Philadelphia	00200011x—4	10	4

Batteries: McQuillan and Schang; Alexander and Burns.

Cincinnati 2; New York 1

NEW YORK, May 12—Stroud held the Reds to one run for ten innings yesterday and then in the twelfth his teammates kicked away the game. Errors by Fletcher and Meyers were responsible for Cincinnati's 2 to 1 victory. Score:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	000000000101—2	8	1
New York	000001000000—1	6	4

Batteries: Benton and Clark; Stroud and Meyers.

Chicago 5; Brooklyn 1

BROOKLYN, May 12.—Pierce held the Superbas in the hollow of his hand yesterday while the Cubs were amassing fourteen hits for a total of twenty-three bases off Rucker. The score:

	R	H	E
Chicago	010001120—5	14	1
Brooklyn	000000010—1	4	3

Batteries: Pierce and Archer; Rucker, Cadore and Miller.

St. Louis 5; Boston 1

BOSTON, May 12.—The world's champion Braves acted as if they were too proud to fight yesterday and the Cardinals aided and abetted by Doak scored a 5 to 1 victory. The score:

	R	H	E
St. Louis	000122000—5	9	2
Boston	000000100—1	9	7

Batteries: Doak and Snyder; Rudolph, Ragon and Gowdy.

FEDERAL LEAGUE
Baltimore 6; St. Louis 5

The score:

	R	H	E
St. Louis	400001000—5	11	2
Baltimore	10100022x—6	6	1

Batteries: Watson, Willett and Hartley; Bender and Owens.

Chicago 6; Brooklyn 4

The score:

	R	H	E
Chicago	001001004—6	13	1
Brooklyn	010002100—4	6	2

Batteries: Prendergast, Brown and Fisher; Marion and Simon.

Kaws 7; Newark 0

The score:

	R	H	E
Kansas City	021101101—7	12	1
Newark	000000000—0	3	1

Batteries: Johnson and Brown; Kaiserling, Whitehouse, Billiard and Rariden.

Pittsburgh 1; Buffalo 1

The score:

	R	H	E
Pittsburgh	100000000—1	6	3
Buffalo	000000000—0	6	2

Batteries: Ragge and Berry; Anderson and Blair.

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New York	12	8	.600
Chicago	14	10	.583
Boston	9	9	.500
Cleveland	11	12	.478
Washington	10	11	.476
Philadelphia	8	13	.381
St. Louis	6	18	.250

National League

Philadelphia	14	7	.667
Chicago	14	8	.636
Boston	12	9	.571
Cincinnati	11	10	.524
Pittsburg	11	13	.458
St. Louis	11	14	.440
Brooklyn	9	13	.409
New York	6	14	.300

Federal League

Pittsburg	16	8	.667
Newark	14	11	.560
Chicago	14	11	.560
Kansas City	13	11	.542
Brooklyn	12	12	.500
St. Louis	10	13	.435
Baltimore	11	15	.423
Buffalo	8	17	.320

American Association

Indianapolis	17	8	.680
Louisville	15	9	.625
Milwaukee	13	11	.542
St. Paul	12	11	.522
Cleveland	11	12	.478
Kansas City	10	11	.476
Minneapolis	8	12	.400
Columbus	6	18	.250

GAMES YESTERDAY
American League

Cleveland, 3; New York, 1.
Washington, 2; Chicago, 0.
Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 0.
Detroit, 5; Boston, 1.

National League

Cincinnati, 2; New York 1 (11 innings).
Philadelphia, 4; Pittsburg, 2.
St. Louis, 5; Boston, 1.
Chicago, 5; Brooklyn, 1.

Federal League

Kansas City, 7; Newark, 0.
Chicago, 6; Brooklyn, 4.
Pittsburg, 1; Buffalo, 0.
Baltimore, 6; St. Louis, 5.

American Association

Indianapolis, 19; Milwaukee, 3.
Cleveland, 4; St. Paul, 1.
Kansas City, 7; Louisville, 4.
Columbus, 8; Minneapolis, 7 (11 innings).

GAMES TODAY
American League

Philadelphia at St. Louis.
New York at Cleveland.
Boston at Detroit.
Washington at Chicago.

National League

St. Louis at Boston.
Pittsburg at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Brooklyn.

Federal League

St. Louis at Baltimore.
Chicago at Brooklyn.
Kansas City at Newark.
Pittsburg at Buffalo.

American Association

Indianapolis at Milwaukee.
Columbus at Minneapolis.
Cleveland at St. Paul.
Louisville at Kansas City.

SWEEPER IS LANDING NET

CHICAGO, May 12.—Anderson Wright, negro window washer, this afternoon fell from the ledge of a third story window in the Imperial building. He dropped on Fortunato Fratto, a street sweeper. Both men were badly injured but will live.

Men to Be Trusted.

No men living are more worthy to be trusted than those who toil up from poverty; none less inclined to take or touch aught which they have not honestly earned.—Lincoln.

Wouldst Dress Well? It'll Cost You $148

CHICAGO, May 12.—If migentleman wants to be dressed—correctly so—this summer it's going to cost him just $148. This is the estimate placed on the perfectly correct gentleman's outfit—only one at that—by John Spann, secretary of the central organization of fashion arbiters of the Merchant Tailors' association.

Here is the list:

Suit	$75
Shirts	12
Neckwear	4
Underwear	12
Socks	2
Shoes (buckskin)	18
Walking stick	10
Hat (grass)	18

Silk is the predominate feature of the outfit, Spann said, and the shirt will be a soft roll collar, worn just low enough to reveal—in a perfectly nice manner—the contour and complexion of the shoulder.

WALSH ON FIELD

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 12.—Ed Walsh, the Chicago American league club pitcher, who suffered a severe attack of grippe two weeks ago, had a workout at the ball park and afterward said he felt so good that he would leave for Chicago in ten days.

WOMAN DRIVER KILLED

STERLING, Ill., May 12.—Mrs. Harry Franks was instantly killed and three children injured when the car in which they were riding turned turtle and was wrecked.

REFEREE IN THE WAY GOES UNDER BILLIARD TABLE

CHICAGO, May 12.—Bobby Lord, Woodlawn amateur billiardist, who represented Chicago at the National Amateur Championships, came to bat today with an invention to keep referees of billiard matches out of the way of spectators and players. The referee lies under the table with a periscope attachment, the "eye" end of which fits over the edge of the billiard table.

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NORMS START OUT AT PRAIRIE TODAY WITH BIG PROGRAM

Strong Aggregation of Baseball Men Will Play Three Lively Games Before Next Sunday

The La Crosse normal school baseball men have planned an extra large program for the week. Today they journeyed to Prairie du Chien, where they will play one of the best teams in the southern part of Wisconsin—the Keewatin college team. On Thursday they are to be matched with another equally swift team in the same city, the Campion college team. Negotiations were made yesterday for the game today and the men were taken away from their classes without much preparation.

On Saturday of this week the locals have been signed up with the Tomah Indians for a game on the normal field. This will make three games for the teachers in one week with only a single day between.

Prairie Game Doubtful

A feeling of anxiety is to be found in each player's heart with respect to Prairie games. They are going with plenty of hope of bringing back the bacon, but judging by the rate the southerners are going they are likely to show the normals something of the game. Reports have come to the local school that Campion college has beaten the Keewatin team by a score of 3 to 2 and Keewatin was "runners up" for the southern prep title, being defeated in their last game for the title.

But the normals feel that they can be a good match for the college teams and have been working all week since the River Falls game last Saturday putting on the finer points to their fielding and batting.

The team that take the trip to the Prairie are as follows: Wachter, catcher; Saubert, and La Fromboise, pitchers; Weisse, first; Layman, second; Grounds, short; Meinert, third; Kuehn, Dake, Christianson and Oliver in the outfield.

SCHALK SUSPENDED

CHICAFO, May 12.—Because of a row with Umpire Silk O'Loughlin in St. Louis Sunday afternoon, Ray Schalk, star catcher of the Chicago American league team, received word on Tuesday of his indefinite suspension.

BIG U. S. TRADE BALANCE

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Commerce Secretary Redfield told the cabinet today that America's favorable trade balance for the week ending May 8 was $20,555,707 against $23 323 204 the preceding week. Cotton exports were 161,183 bales, making 7,462,630 since August 1.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

BY HAL SHERIDAN

(Written for the United Press.)

Yesterday's Homers

Saier, Cubs, off Rucker, Dodgers.

Kelley, Pittfeds, off Anderson, Bufeds.

Moeller, Senators, off Scott, White Sox.

"Hitting savagely with men on bases, the Tigers won—"

Do they ever do anything else?

John McGraw's cup is filled to the overflowing—the Reds handed him a trimming.

Yesterday was another blue day for Gotham fans. The Giants, Yanks, Dodgers, Brookfeds and Newarks all were licked.

Incidentally, those Indians of Birmingham's are showing a lot of life for a corpse.

The same might be said for George Stovall's Kaw City aggregation.

"Alexander pitches" is about the only 'heading necessary to an account of a Philadelphia game nowadays. Pirates got four hits off him.

Those Cubs are crowding awfully close to the top. A win today, if Philadelphia loses, will plant them on top. Hand it to Roger.

Chicago fans, taking it all around, should be fairly well satisfied.

All three teams are battling close to the top.

Chicago Fans saw something they weren't expecting yesterday. With three men on the sacks with the winning runs, the great Eddie Collins stepped to bat a la Casey. He performed just like Casey, so there wasn't much joy in Mudville.

COOGAN IS EASY FOR JOHN KILBANE

NEW YORK, May 12.—Featherweight Champion Johnny Kilbane had an easy time defeating Mel Coogan here in ten rounds last night.

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We can make our lives supreme.
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By C. A. Voight

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HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Men, young and old, from out of city to learn the barber trade and accept positions in small towns. Impossible to get city barbers for these positions, although the wages are good. Write for particulars today. Moler Barber College, Milwaukee, Wis. 5 8 14

LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE wanted —No canvassing or soliciting required. Good income assured. Address National Co-operative Realty Co., V-1210 Marden Building, Washington, D. C.

WANTED—Salesman to handle the A. W. Sarrell automatic electric light and power plant. Address Box 477, La Crosse, Wis. 5 12 13

ABLE-BODIED MEN for firemen, brakemen, $120 monthly; experience unnecessary. Railway, care Tribune.

MEN wishing to earn three to five dollars per day, write for terms immediately. First National Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. 5 8 14

WANTED—Errand boy. Steady employment. Fred Kroner Hardware Co., Third and Jay. 5 12 14

WANTED—Blacksmith. L. O. Kirmse, West Salem, Wis. 4 22 tf

WANTED—Good cement finisher. Apply Charles W. Noble. 5 10 15

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. M. F. Platz, 314 South 15th street. 5 3 tf

WANTED—An experienced marker and sorter. Modern Steam Laundry. 5 1 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. M. Roman, Viroqua, Wis. 5 11 13

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Only competent need apply. Good wages. 928 Ferry St. 5 7 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 1625 Main. 5 4 tf

WANTED—Kitchen girls at the Stoddard hotel. 5 8 11

WANTED—Girl at Union hotel, 427 South Third. 5 11 tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Your choice for $15.00 per acre, one-fourth down and six annual payments, any of our 40 or 80 acre divisions of 23,000 acres, 12 miles east of Rice Lake, 14 miles west of Ladysmith and 2 miles north of Wearhouser, Wis. Choice heavy black soil, well timbered with hard maple, basswood, and birch. The heirs to this land wish it closed out at once and have put it down to this low price. There are divisions in this tract that are worth $50 per acre. Come and get them at once. It will all be sold before the summer is over. I go every Tuesday morning. See me at once and arrange for the trip and get further information. J. H. Bean, 419 State Bank building, La Crosse, Wis. 3 22 6 30

FOR SALE—The following used lumber while it lasts: 4 inch pine or 3 inch hardwood flooring, $15; 6 inch pine flooring, $12 to $18; drop siding, $15; short dimension and boards, $12; cheap plank, $10; also used iron roofing, $1 per square; pumps, complete, $2.50 each; two fire place mantels, with fixtures, complete, $15 each. La Crosse Wrecking and Lumber Co. 4 23 m wed fri

A SNAP IF TAKEN AT ONCE—Launch, 30 ft. long, 6 ft. 4 inch beam, 35 gallon gasoline tank, Panesote auto top, side curtains, Milwaukee motor, 4¼x4¾ four cylinder 4 cycle, oil splash system, Perry magneto, Scheubler carburetor, latest style, Thermo water cooling, one forward, one reverse gear shift clutch. Rybold-Weihaupt Auto Co., 217 So. Front. Telephone 234-C. 5 12 14

FOR SALE—Gentle pony. Inquire 526 Oakland. 5 12 18

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Equity in 160 acres hardwood land in rich clover section, between Antigo and Wausau, Marathon county, Wis. Railroad and townsite less than one mile. Will exchange for residence property. Address Wausau, care Tribune. 5 10 15

WAVERLEY Electric, $1,000.00; Cadillac, electric lights and starter, $600.00; Reo, two cylinder, in first class condition, $250.00. La Crosse Motor Car Company, 127 N. 3rd St. 5 7 22

FOR SALE—Saloon on West Salem road, known as Hillside Inn. Terms reasonable. Jack Bennett, Prop. 5 6 19

FOR SALE—A first class modern house with large elevated lot, in good locality. Will pay for itself by renting furnished rooms. A snap and best buy in the city. Address R. A. J., Tribune. 4 1 tf

FOR SALE—One stern wheel launch, 22 feet long, with 3 h. p. stationary engine inside; also two 2 cycle boat engines, 3 and 5 h. p., very reasonable. 515 St. Cloud. New phone 761-C. 5 11 13

FOR SALE—Ford touring car. New tires, repainted and thoroughly overhauled, with all worn parts replaced. Complete equipment and a bargain. The Pacific Electric Co., 120 Main street. 5 11 13

FOR SALE—Row boat motor, new, never unboxed. Full equipment, ready to run. Fully guaranteed. Regular $65 motor. Joe Kidder, 114 N. Fifth. Phone 56. 5 4 17

FOR SALE—500 corsets formerly sold as high as $6, all sizes, to clean out at 25c each. Pillow tops and table covers at a bargain. 523 Main street. Mrs. Soell. 5 12 18

FOR SALE—100 Single Comb Rhode Island Red chicks; eggs for hatching; two cockerels, $2 each. Geo. Hayek, 919 Johnson. 3 12 15

FOR SALE—Twelve milk cows, also an almost new potato digger and planter. John Vanderploeg, R. 3, La Crosse, Wis. 5 10 15

FOR SALE—Horses. 1636 George. 5 4 17

FOR SALE—One seven passenger Rambler in good condition, $375. Call at J. G. Jaekel, 1100 S. Sixth. 5 3 15

FOR SALE—Good furniture. Inquire 1202 So. 4th. Call after six evenings and Sunday afternoons. 5 7 13

FOR SALE—Good driving or delivery team. Pitzner Dyers and Cleaners. 5 7 13

FOR SALE—23 foot launch hull. Call at 629 North Ninth street. 5 3 15

FOR SALE—A bargain northeast corner of Fifth and Division Sts., 108x150 feet. Terms. 5 1 12

FOR SALE—At a bargain, extra nice piano, nearly new. Parties leaving town. Inquire this week. 228 South Fifth street. 5 10 12

FOR SALE—Furniture, new within a year. Dressers, beds, chairs, tables, etc. 228 South Fifth street. 5 10 12

FOR SALE — Computing scale. Cheap. Inquire 1336 Avon St. 5 8 13

FOR SALE—Saloon property, established business. Good location. Address Mrs. E. Netz, Prairie du Chien, Wis. 4 15 5 14

FOR SALE—Jewel hard coal stove burner cheap. Inquire at 1114 Division street. J. E. Geiwitz. 4 29 tf

FOR SALE—Modern house. 703 So. Fourth. 5 6 19

FOR SALE—Team of horses. Young and in fine condition. Inquire 1601 Denton street. 4 26 tf

FOR SALE—Washed and screened gravel. Old phone 2051; new 1539-C. 4 28 5 27

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A mare in foal, at Reliable Steam Laundry. 1 27 tf

FOR SALE—Chicken coop, 6½x7½, cheap if taken at once. 2135 Market. 4 14 tf

FOR SALE—Seven horse Indian, first class condition. Inquire 818 Adams. 4 24 tf

FOR SALE—Spring dray, 3½ inch tires. Inquire at City Scales. 5 6 12

FOR SALE—Automobile, 1915 model, almost new, $650. Call at Nora house. 5 6 12

FOR SALE—Two lots, cheap if taken at once. Inquire 1314 Mississippi St. 5 8 14

FOR SALE—Canna plants. Call new phone 445-M. 5 6 12

FOR SALE—House. Address S. H., care Tribune. 5 6 12

FOR SALE—Household goods. 1631 George. 5 10 14

FOR SALE—Gas stove, cheap. 427 North Eighth. 5 11 17

FOR SALE—Gas range. 1327 Main street. 5 11 14

FOR SALE—Gentle driving horse, cheap. Call 6264 old phone. 5 10 12

FOR SALE—Six room cottage. 1726 Johnson. 5 5 6 1

FOR SALE—Barber shop. Call 1311-C or 1640 George. 5 12 18

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Seven room house, modern except heat. Inquire 1117 South Seventh. 5 12 15

FOR RENT—Seven room brick cottage, all modern except heat. 908 Adams. 5 12 18

FOR RENT—Large elegant unfurnished room, corner Sixth and Main. Phone 131-R. 5 11 12

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 322 Pearl street. Call after 6 o'clock, or call Old Phone 5193. 5 11 13

FOR RENT—House 1302 Jackson street. Inquire at 1514 Vine street, or next door. New phone 585-C. 5 10 15

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, May 22. Fine location, $18. Inquire 320 North Eighth street. 5 10 12

FURNISHED ROOM for light housekeeping for one or two working girls. Modern. 415 South Fifth. 5 10 22

FOR RENT—Large furnished front room. 219 South Fifth street. 5 10 13

FOR RENT—About July 1, part of double house, modern. Close in. Address W. W., Tribune. 5 10 tf

FOR RENT—Nice large new sheet metal garage. 127 S. Seventh. 5 10 22

FOR RENT—Five room house on ground floor. Call after 8 p. m. or Sundays. New phone 643-C. 1530 Mississippi street. 5 10 12

FOR RENT—Private garage. Inquire 1147 Main street. 4 17 tf

FOR RENT—Seven room house, 143½ Mill. Inquire 250 Mill. 5 7 13

FOR RENT—Modern seven room house, except heat. 512 North Eighth. 5 4 17

FOR RENT—Three modern unfurnished rooms. 427 North Sixth. 4 29 tf

FOR RENT—Pleasant furnished room for two; also single room. 215 South Seventh street. Telephone 665-R. 4 16 tf

FOR RENT—Four room flat, 316 Pearl street, partly modern. New phone 531-M. 4 28 tf

FOR RENT—House 1809 Wood. 5 6 12

FOR RENT—Modern upper flat. 429 South Fifth. 5 11 15

FOR RENT—Modern room. 421 South Seventh. 5 10 15

FOR RENT—Small modern flat. Call 119 South Tenth. 4 26 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 421 Division. 5 12 25

Automobile Bargains

White Steamer, excellent condition, cheap. Maxwell, 5 passenger, practically new, cheap. Cadillac runabout, 2 cylinder, good condition, cheap. Cadillac runabout, 1 cylinder, good condition, cheap. Thomas Flyer, 7 passenger, good condition, cheap. Reo touring car, good condition, cheap. Cutting touring car, good as new, cheap. Kissel touring car, good as new, cheap.

These cars are the rarest bargains ever offered in La Crosse, and will go fast. If interested call now and secure a bargain.

The A. M. Castle Engineering Co., 315-317 Jay St., La Crosse, Wis.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To increase the value of your little garden a ten-fold. Grow tomatoes that will be worth ten cents a pound, and all kinds of early vegetables. Valuable information given for the asking. Cut out this ad. and send it to the undersigned and receive special offer. Hillview Greenhouses, La Crosse, Wis. New phone 933-M. wed sat tf tues thur sat tf

RUGS, CARPETS cleaned, remodeled, sized. We take out all spots. Pitzner's, 201 State. Both phones. 4 20 5 22

POSITION WANTED by young, strong, ambitious man to work at anything. Farm work preferred. Call at once 430 La Crosse street. New phone 950-A; old phone 9793. 5 11 13

FOR THE BEST GRADE of gasoline and oil engines, engineering equipments, pumps, implements and vehicles, see the Castle Engineering Co., 325-327 Jay street. 3 24 tf

WE CLEAN CARPETS and rugs with our large auto vacuum cleaner. If work is not satisfactory you pay nothing. New phone 1796-R. Reeves, 418 Caledonia street. 4 12 tf

WANTED TO RENT—Modern room in private family. Address, 90 Tribune. 5 8 12

WANTED—By colored lady, work by the day. 634-M. 5 10 12

WANTED—Work by day or hour. 1625 Mississippi. 5 12 14

WANTED—Washing and ironing. New phone 1436-A. 5 10 15

WANTED—House boat or deck barge, about 12x20x3-0. Address Boat, Tribune. 5 10 12

RUGS CLEANED, sized, bound and remodeled. Oriental Rug Co., 728 Mill street. 5 10 15

LOST

LOST or left at wrong house April 24, embroidered table cloth, between La Crosse Steam Laundry and Fifteenth street. Return to 131 So. Fifteenth. Reward. 5 8 14

LOST—Bunch of eight keys. Finder please call 1238-A new phone. 5 12 13

LOST—Motor cyclometer Sunday afternoon. Finder phone 1062-R. 5 10 12

LOST—Red bicycle. Return to 1006 Mississippi. New phone 1407-R. 5 11 13

Summer Cottages

ONE ACRE SITES in beautiful "Shore Acres," just above city; 100 feet shore frontage. Best camping and cottage location on upper Mississippi. Guaranteed title, $100. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth. Phone 56. tues thurs sat tf

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CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid and installment stock for sale. 9 12 tf

Stoves and Furniture

SECOND-HAND furniture & Stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third. 3 17 tf

POULTRY

FOR SALE—Single Comb Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a hatching of 15 eggs. From prize winners. Wm. G. Naas, 902 Berlin street. sat wed 5 22

FOR SALE—Pure Barred Rock eggs, $1 per 15; $4 per 100. Van Loon, Bell phone 2054. 3 16 tf

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., May 11.—Hogs — Receipts 9,000; market slow, shade higher; mixed and butchers, $7.25 to $7.70; good heavy, $7.40 to $7.55; rough heavy, $7.00 to $7.15; light, $7.30 to $7.72½; pigs, $5.25 to $6.90.

Cattle — Receipts 2,500; market strong; beeves, $6.80 to $9.25; cows and heifers, $3.30 to $8.75; Texans, $6.00 to 67.10; calves, $6.50 to $9.00.

Sheep — Receipts 10,000; market firm; native, $7.75 to $8.60; western, $7.75 to $8.20; lambs, $8.40 to $10.70; western, $8.50 to $11.15.

LIVESTOCK WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., May 4.—Hogs — Receipts 12,000; market strong; mixed and butchers, $7.25 to $7.65; good heavy, $7.40 to $7.60; rough heavy, $7.00 to $7.15; light, $7.30 to $7.70; pigs, $5.25 to $6.90.

Cattle — Receipts 2,500; market steady; beeves, $6.25 to $8.75; cows and heifers, $2.90 to $8.40; stockers and feeders, inactive; Texans, $5.60 to $6.65; calves, $6.00 to $8.50; western steers, $5.60 to $6.65.

Sheep — Receipts 6,000; market strong; native, $7.40 to $8.25; western, $7.40 to $8.40; lambs, $8.00 to $10.50; western, $8.00 to $10.65.

Grain

	Yesterday	Week Ago.
WHEAT—		
May	157½	162¼
July	132½	135⅞
OATS—		
May	76	77¼
July	78⅞	80
CORN—		
May	53¼	55
July	53⅛	54¼

Remarkable Visitor.

Head Waiter—"What's the matter with that fellow over there?" Waiter—"I don't know. He doesn't dance, he doesn't care for singing, he says he hasn't got a date with anybody's wife. I'm beginning to think the fool actually came in to eat."—Puck.

Daily Markets

Wholesale Fruit

Celery, California, per doz. 40 to 50c
(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Bananas, bunch	$2.00 to $2.50
Lemons, Red ball, per box	$3.50
Oranges, fancy navels	$2.75
Oranges, Ex. choice	$2.50
Oranges, choice	$2.25
Cider, pure juice, half bbl.	$3.25
Lemons, "Sunkist" box	$3.25
Cider, steam refined, bbl.	$6.50
Cider, pure juice, bbl.	$6.00
Cider, crab apple, half bbl.	$5.50
Cider, steam refined, half bbl.	$3.50
Apples, 5 boxes, asst'd, box	$1.25
Apples, N. Y., Baldwins, bbl.	$4.00
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl.	$3.50
Onions, red or yellow, hd.	$1.75
Potatoes, per bushel	60c
Grape fruit, size 36	$3.25
Grape fruit, size 46	$3.00
Grape fruit, size 54	$3.50
Grepe fruit, size 64	$3.50
Onions, sets, white, bu.	$2.00
Onions, sets, red, bu.	$1.75
Onions, sets, yellow, bu.	$1.75
Strawberries, 24 pt. case	$3.25
Cabbage, new, per hd.	$3.00

Livestock

(By Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company.)

Hogs	$6.50 to $7.00
Cows	$3.00 to $5.00
Steers	$4.00 to $7.00
Heifers	$3.50 to $5.50
Sheep	$4.50 to $5.00
Lambs	$6.50 to $7.00

Poultry

Chickens	12 to 13c
Turkeys	12 to 14c
Ducks	11c
Geese	10c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	11 to 11½c
Shoulders, per pound	10c
Picnics, per pound	9½c
Bacon, per pound	16 to 22c
Ham, per pound	14 to 15c
Dried Beef, per pound	18 to 22c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$8.10
Straight, per barrel	$7.90

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$26.00
Shorts, ton, 100 lb. sacks	$28.00
White Middlings, per ton, 100 pound sacks	$32.00
Red Dog, per ton, 100 lb sacks	$34.00

Grain

(Quoted by C. A. Thomas)

Corn	75 to 85c
Oats	55 to 60c
Wheat	$1.20 to $1.30
Rye	95c to $1.00
Barley	70 to 80c

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	29 to 30c
Dairy butter, pound	26 to 28c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	18c

Cheese

(Quoted by H. Anderegg)

Fancy full cream twins	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger	14 to 17c
Fancy full cream Swiss block	17c
Fancy full cream brick	13 to 15c

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, May 12—Stock prices again opened up considerably higher than the previous day's closing values today. Bethlehem Steel showed a gain of 1¾, selling at 138½. U. S. Steel was up ⅛ at 54. Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Reading, American Locomotive and Canadian Pacific were among the other leaders showing gains.

In the second hour stocks recovered a little from their low prices of the opening but the market showed evidence of waiting for some definite word from Washington. Volume of trading was light and spotty.

Prices went up spiritedly shortly before noon. Traders, however, said the movement was at the expense of short interests and did not help the market's technical position. The sales fell off after noon and prices dropped away from the best of the day.

In the early afternoon standard stocks held up well while "war shares" were slightly lower. Volume of trading continued small, indicating a waiting attitude.

The stock market closed weak.

New York Money

NEW YORK, May 12.—Money on call, 2%; time money, 3¼ to 3½% for six months; prime mercantile, 4%; bar silver, London, 23⅝d; New York, 50⅛c; demand sterling, 4.80.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 12.—Cattle — Receipts 4,500; market steady; steers, $6.75 to $9.15; cows and heifers, $4.00 to $9.00; stockers and feeders, $6.50 to $8.35; calves, $6.60 to $10.25.

Hogs — Receipts 8,000; market strong to 5c higher; bulk, $7.30 to $7.40; heavy, $7.30 to $7.40; medium, $7.30 to $7.45; light, $7.30 to $7.47½.

Sheep — Receipts 5,000; market 10c higher; lambs, $8.75 to $11.00; ewes, $6.75 to $8.50; stockers and feeders, $5.50 to $8.50.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, May 12.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.56½ to $1.58½; No. 3 red, $1.56¾ to $1.57; No. 2 hard, $1.57½ to $1.59½; No. 3 hard, $1.56¼ to $1.58.

Oats—No. 3 white, 53 to 54½c; No. 4 white, 53¼ to 53¾c; Standard, 54 to 54½c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 77 to 78c; No. 3 yellow, 76 to 77½c; No. 5 yellow, 76½c; No. 6 yellow, 76c; No. 2 white, 77½c; No. 3 white, 77c; No. 2 mixed, 77 to 77½c; No. 3 mixed, 76¾ to 77½c; No. 6 mixed, 72c; Spring, 68½ to 71c; barley, 72 to 78c; timothy, $5.00 to $6.50; clover, $8.50 to $13.00.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., May 12.—Hogs — Receipts 20,000; market strong, 5c above; mixed and butchers, $7.30 to $7.70; good heavy, $7.45 to $7.60; rough heavy, $7.05 to $7.20; light, $7.35 to $7.75; pigs, $5.50 to $7.10.

Cattle — Receipts 16,000; market steady to 10c lower; beeves, $6.80 to $9.15; cows and heifers, $3.30 to $8.70; Texans, $6.10 to $7.10; aclves, $6.50 to $9.00.

Sheep — Receipts 10,000; market steady to shade higher; native, $7.70 to $8.60; western, $7.75 to $8.80; lambs, $8.40 to $10.75; western, $8.50 to $11.20.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, May 12.—Butter—Extras, 27½c; firsts, 25 to 26c; dairy extras, 26½c; firsts, 23 to 24c.

Eggs—Ordinary, 16½ to 17¾c; prime firsts, 18¼ to 18¾c.

Potatoes—Receipts 32 cars; Michigan white, 40 to 46c; red, 35 to 38c; Wisconsin white stock, 40 to 46c; red, 35 to 38c. New potatoes, Florida Hastings, No. 1, $5.50; No. 2, $4.50 per barrel.

Live Poultry — Fowls 15½c; ducks, 12 to 13c; geese, 8 to 10c; turkeys, 12c.

Cheese — Twins, 14¾ to 15c; Young Americas, 15¼ to 15½c.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, May 12.—The wheat market today failed to respond as well as had been looked for. Prices at the opening were up ½, unchanged and down ¾ compared with yesterday's close. At one time later May options advanced to $1.59, one point above the opening, but the selling of July wheat in considerable quantities weakened the market and prices later receded.

Corn acted with wheat after an early advance on good buying. Prices later were generally lower.

Oats held very firm for several hours on very good buying, but the weakness in the other grains was too much for the market.

Provisions were generally lower.

	Open.	High.	Low	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	.158	159	756¼	157
July	.132½	133½	130⅝	131¾
Sept.	.125	126¼	124	125⅜
CORN—				
May	75¾	76	74¾	75⅛
July	78¾	78⅞	77⅝	77⅞
Sept.	79¾	80	78⅞	79¼
OATS—				
May	53½	53¾	53⅛	53⅜
July	53½	53⅝	52⅝	52⅞
Sept.	47¾	47¾	46⅞	47⅛
PORK—				
May	17.80	17.80	17.80	17.80
July	18.25	18.27	18.10	18.10
Sept.	18.65	18.65	18.50	18.50
LARD—				
May	9.65	9.65	9.65	9.65
July	9.92	9.92	9.75	9.75
Sept.	10.15	10.15	9.95	9.97
RIBS—				
May	10.30	10.30	10.30	10.30
July	10.60	10.62	10.52	10.52
Sept.	10.82	10.87	10.82	10.82

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IN PROBATE.

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the second Tuesday, being the eighth day of June, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matters will be heard and considered:

The application of Anton Lomis to admit to probate the last will and testament of Margaret Dvorak, sometimes known as Maggie Dvorak, late of the Town of Washington, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

And notice is further given, that the Court will then and there consider the application of said Anton Lomis for the appointment of an administrator with the will annexed of the last will of said Margaret Dvorak, deceased.

By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

J. E. HIGBEE,
Attorney for the Applicant.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Anton Peterson, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.

Letters testamentary in said matter having been granted to Otto Peterson, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the 12th day of May, A. D. 1915, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Courthouse in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1915.
By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

MAHONEY & SCHUBERT,
Attorneys for Executor.

Deception.

It many times falls out that we seem ourselves much deceived in others because we first deceived ourselves.—Sir Philip Sidney.

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Grandad brand Standard Wisconsin Pack Corn, per can 7½c

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No separate waist necessary, the "Alheneeds" having all the features necessary to carry the trousers and hose supporters. It has shoulder adjustment to regulate the length and side adjustments to fit the waist. Made of good quality cross barred nainsook, in sizes 2 to 9, on sale in our Underwear Department at each 50c

Underwear Department—Main Floor

SARDINES
Fancy Norwegian Smoked or Plain Sardines in pure olive oil, 4 ounce tins, this sale 9c

PEAS
Regal brand Select June Peas, can 7½c

SALMON
A. & N. brand Red Alaska Salmon, one pound tall can 15c

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While we spend the best skill and effort that are in us to have splendid stocks well kept in complete assortments, and though we want everything as fine as it can be around our store, yet everything we do is done to make our customers feel comfortable and pleased when shopping here.

We gather the finest merchandise that the market affords, and we sell it at the most moderate prices possible; because we want to give the fullest possible satisfaction to every customer who comes into the store.

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Respectfully yours,

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May Sale DINNER WARE

DINNER SET
$3.69 for 50 piece Dinner Set, white and gold decorations, worth $6.50.
$5.98 for 100 piece Dinner Set, white and gold decorations, worth $10.00.
$8.75 for 100 piece Dinner Set, floral or spray decorations, worth $14.50.
$10.50 for 100 piece Dinner Set, Austrian imported china, worth $17.50.

Casserole Set
50c for 10 piece Casserole Set, made of brown and white cooking ware, value $1.00.

TOILET SET
$2.98 for 12 piece Toilet Set, with large jar, white and gold decorations, worth $4.50.

BERRY SET
98c for Austrian China Berry Set, beautifully decorated, value $2.00.

Salt or Pepper Shaker
25c for Cut Glass Salt or Pepper Shaker, pearl tops, value 50c.

CUP OR SAUCER
3½c each for Cup or Saucer, white and gold decorations, value 7c.

Bowl and Pitcher
69c for Bowl and Pitcher, fancy shape, value $1.50.

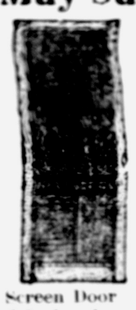
CUP OR SAUCER
2½c each for Cup or Saucer, plain white porcelain, value 5c.

PUNCH BOWL
79c for Glass Punch Bowl, 15 inch size, colonial pattern, value $1.50.

Chocolate Set
69c for 14 piece Chocolate Set, Austrian china, 6 cups and saucers and pot, val. $1.50.

Lemonade Set
69c for China Lemonade Set, six china mugs and large pitcher, val. $1.25

May Sale Summer, Lawn & Porch Goods

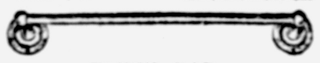


Screen Door
98c for fancy Screen Door, with spindles and corner brackets.

HAMPER
$1.98 for square Hamper with wood bottom, the largest size, value $4.

Electric Fan
$5.85 for this Electric Fan, 8 in. size, nickle or oxidized finish, slow motor, noiseless, just the thing for family or office purposes, val. $9.00.

Flour Sifter
9c for Flour Sifter, with crank, value 15c.



TOWEL BAR
10c for Opan Glass Towel Bar, nickle plated brackets, value $2.00.

POULTRY NETTING
49c for 100 square feet Poultry Netting, 2 inch mesh, value 75c.

Wash Board and Wringer
$3.98 for this Combination Wash Board and Wringer, with guaranteed rollers, value $6.00.

FLOOR MOP
98c for the Punch Floor Mop, with 50c bottle Oil free, value $1.50.

ELECTRIC IRON
$1.95 for Electric Iron, with 6 ft. cord, 5 year guarantee; value $3.00.

Curtain Stretcher
49c for Curtain Stretcher, full size, with nickle plated pins, value $1.00.

Porch Swing
$1.98 for Porch Swing, 4 ft. size, mission finish, complete with set of chairs, $3.25 value.

Lawn Settee
79c for Lawn Settee, 42 inches wide, painted red or green, value $1.50.

WINDOW SCREEN
24c for Window Screen, 24 inches high, extend to 33 in. value 35 cents.

PLUNGER
39c for Plunger made of the best rubber, value 50c.

HELLENISM ONLY POLICY OF GREECE

Will Not Fight Unless Her Interests as a Whole Demand It Her King Declares

HER AIM IS NATIONAL UNITY

Her Mission to Carry Civilization to Entire World Now as in the Past

NOTE: Following is the first authoritative statement of Greece's position in the world war crisis. It comes from the king of Greece himself—the dominant figure in an old world monarchy whose history has been identified with civilization's progress for centuries. It should be of particular interest to Americans.

BY HENRY WOOD
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
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ATHENS, May 12. — "Greece can only abandon her neutrality in the event that the interests of Hellenism as a whole may at some future moment demand it. The interests of Hellenism as a whole have been the one and only policy of Greece to the present moment. This policy she will continue to the end."

King Military Man

In these words, spoken in quick, energetic English, King Constantine of Greece outlined to me the attitude of his country regarding the great war. He had received me in his study in the palace which he occupied while crown prince and which he now retains by preference. This palace is smaller than the main royal palace. There he lives surrounded by the queen, sister of the kaiser and their six children—three princes and three princesses—in perhaps the most domestic life that any European monarch enjoys. His majesty wore the uniform of a Greek general and his entire manner and conversation was essentially that of a military man.

At all times he displayed the quickness of thought and action which won him a wonderful reputation during the Balkan wars as the greatest of modern military strategists.

Not Right Time to Fight

"In the recent decision of the crown," he continued, "that Greece could not accept the invitation of the allies to enter the war at that time, which resulted in the resignation of my prime minister, I had only that honest difference of opinion to which every man is entitled. With Greece situated between two contending blocks of powers, I have had but one policy, one desire for the future, and that was to act for the best interests of Hellenism. The moment was not opportune for Greece to abandon her neutrality nor would her interests have been best served by so doing at that time. Should Premier Venizelos later be returned to power we will work together harmoniously as before for the common realization of Greece's national aspirations."

"What might be those aspirations, your majesty?" I asked.

National Unity Object

"They are merely the desires for national unity to which the Greek people, by reason of their long historical past, believe they are entitled," was the reply. "It ever has been the mission of Greece to carry civilization to the entire world. As Greece expands now and in her future capacity that mission will be increased."

The king spoke with the utmost enthusiasm about the battleships Mississippi and Idaho which Greece purchased from the United States at a critical moment and which at that time became an important instrument for peace, giving as it did the Greek navy a preponderance over the Turkish which it has since maintained. His majesty made no effort to conceal his joy over the result of this successful coup over the Turks.

The stiff cuff is coming back, and maybe the movie villain will get a stiff cuff.

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Mail orders solicited. King, the Bike Man. New phone 1131-C.

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Business Education
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Business Chances
Want to Buy or Sell a Business? See Lewis Bros. 4th and Main.

Carpet, Rug Cleaning
Remodeling of carpets and rugs. Anderson Carpet Co. 220 Main. Phones.

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Chiropractors
Chiropractic removes cause of disease. Geo. F. Robb, 506 Main. Hours 9-12, 2-5. Others by appointment.

Chiropodists
Prof. John MacLaren, new phone 1144-C. 421 Main street, up-stairs.

Emilie Lorbeer. New phone 1103-A. 424 Main.

Nina B. Rindlaub. New phone 847-A. 129 N. Ninth. Formerly over Barron's

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Calls day or night. L. H. White, 311 Pearl. New 1778; old 433.

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EAGLES CONVENTION TO BE BIG EVENT

La Crosse Is Bidding for Attendance of 20,000 at Annual State Meet

The annual state convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles to be held this year at La Crosse bids fair to eclipse all former meetings of its kind.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the accommodation of the vast crowds of visitors that are sure to be in the Gateway city during the week of June 21 to 26. The various committees are preparing to entertain 20,000 visitors during that week. Not only is a record-breaking attendance of Eagles and their families expected, but friends of the order, and others who, with their families, will attend merely for the entertainment features.

La Crosse is situated most conveniently, there being three principal railroad systems, whose main lines pass through the city. Two other railroads, the La Crosse & Southeastern, and the Green Bay & Western, make La Crosse a terminal point. La Crosse is therefore easily accessible from all parts of the state.

Aside from its accessibility, La Crosse is noted for its picturesque location, which adds to its desirability as a convention city. Situated on the banks of the Father of Waters, and surrounded on all sides by towering bluffs, crowned with verdure, the visitor is struck by the great natural beauty with which La Crosse is blessed.

La Crosse stands with open arms to welcome most royally the visitor to the Eagle's state convention.

FIND FARMER SLAIN

OTTAWA, Ill., May 12.—The body of Frank Maier, 48, a wealthy farmer, was found with throat cut early today by neighbors. It was lying in a pool of blood on the floor of his home. A razor lay near the body. Maier recently was sued for divorce on grounds of cruelty.

DUDLEY 2½ inches
NORMAN 2½ inches

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CHICAGO BOHEMIANS DENOUNCE SINKING OF THE LUSITANIA

CHICAGO, May 12.—The Chicago chapter of the Bohemian Alliance of America, which has 80,000 members, today forwarded to President Wilson resolutions condemning the sinking of the Lusitania by a German submarine as "murder—barbarous, inexcusable and unwarranted, wanton and indefensible on any grounds whatsoever."

CATCH POSTAL FUGITIVE.

CHICAGO, May 12.—William B. Gray, assistant postmaster at Mount Morris, Ill., was returned to Chicago today from Kansas City where Federal officers captured him. He is charged with signing the Mount Morris postmaster's name to money orders and absconding with the money.

5¢ For Laundry and all House Work

KIRK'S FLAKE WHITE SOAP

MOCK TRIAL JURY CONVICTS COURT BAR AND CULPRIT

It was a remarkable verdict found in the case of C. E. Schaefer, convicted of violating the Sherman anti-trust law, at the German Methodist church last night. The jury ran wild and convicted everybody of everything. Not only did they find Schaefer guilty as charged, but they also convicted Judge Herman Langstadt of partiality and murder of the English language, Prosecutor Paul Schulze and Defense Counsel A. W. Zeratsky of contempt of court, and all the witnesses of "stretching the truth." After the conviction-fest was over Judge Langstadt sentenced the prisoner to raise two acres of water lilies on Grandad bluff. No attention was paid by the court to the other convictions returned by the jury, which was dismissed with a reprimand. Mrs. A. Keim was star witness for the defense and made out a strong case, but the jury liked the taste of the word "guilty and no defense had a chance, spectators said today. About 200 attended the mock trial.

RIGGS CASE GOES OVER

WASHINGTON, May 12. — The Riggs National bank case against treasury officials, which was to have been taken up in court today, went over until Monday.

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

Nobody can Tell when you Darken Gray, Faded Hair with Sage Tea.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known down druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant.

SUBMARINE TOLL IS 201 VESSELS

LONDON, May 12.—Up to noon yesterday 201 merchant vessels, yachts, trawlers and drifters have been sunk by German submarines, and 1,556 passengers, officers and crew members have lost their lives, according to a statement made in the house of commons by First Lord of the Admiralty Winston Churchill this afternoon.

MISS BILLIE BURKE

Miss Billie Burke will "hold the boards," as they used to say, at La Crosse Theater tonight. Her play this season is "Jerry," the comedy by Catherine Chisholm Cushing in which the popular actress impersonates a lively young girl from Chicago who finds herself in the uncongenial environment of a staid Philadelphia suburb. It is the most "billieburkish" part of the late Charles Frohman ever found for his charming star and she has made hits in it all over the country this season. Her box office statements, they say, read like those of a very successful grand opera company on tour.

CHICAGO TO HAVE BIG Y. M. C. A. HOTEL

CHICAGO, May 12.—Local Y. M. C. A. officials announced the success of the project to build a $1,000,000 Y. M. C. A. hotel is a certainty. General Secretary L. Wilbur Messer announced eleven gifts of $50,000 each from eleven Chicagoans and additional citizens today, which brought the total to $635,000. The hotel will be located between Eighth and Ninth streets on Wabash avenue. It will be nineteen stories high. Its rates will be from 25 to 40 cents a day.

During 1914, 1,045 package libraries from the Extension division of the University of Wisconsin were used by 398 organizations.

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